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An Andover orthodontist says the dirt and sediment in the town's pipes is turning his water black.

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Kalley Thomas, 9, and her furry friend, Sir Scott LaFontaine, are ready for the first day of school. Kalley, a Bancroft third-grader, is one of about 4,700 Andover students starting a new school year today.

The Newest Need

Andover Families Feel Day Care Crunch

By Julie M. Barry

Cuddle Care, a day care center on South Main Street, just opened its doors this summer. Already, says co-owner Gwen Hedrick, 80 of the 101 available spaces are filled.

Hedrick isn't worried about filling the other 21. "There's such a high demand for day care," she said. "It was really scary that people (about 40) were so desperate they signed up before Cuddle Care opened—sight unseen."

The day care dilemma—finding available space at an affordable cost—is a national concern that affects the Andover community.

In today's economic situation, many families find they need a double income. Yet, according to Georgia Grey, a family day care center supervisor at the state Office for Children, "day care is hard to come by."

There is clearly a need for local day care programs. According to the 1980 census, 52.9 percent of mothers in Andover work. More specifically, 12.2 percent of the total number of mothers are working mothers with children under 6, and 40.7 percent are working mothers with children between the ages of 6 and 17.

The majority of daycare services in Andover are full or have very limited openings and after-school programs for elementary-aged children are hard to come by.

However, according to Martha Sperandio, executive assistant at

Child Care Circuit in Lawrence, "there have been some increases in supply in Andover." But she said openings don't last very long.

Sperandio referred to the opening of Cuddle Care on South Main Street and the possibility of more child care services coming into town. "I'm feeling positive because people are talking about expansion," she said.

Still, she explained that there are critical shortages at both ends of the spectrum—infant care and school-aged children. "This is true nationally and in the Merrimack Valley," Sperandio said.

Transportation and finding available space make it challenging to establish school-age programs, she said. "There is definitely a need for expanded school day care programs in Andover," Sperandio said.

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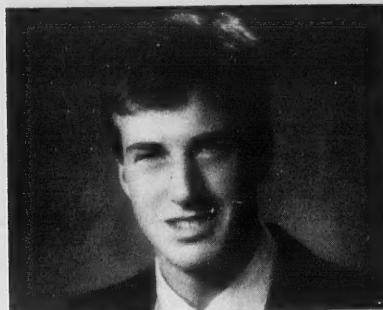




Stephan Borden



Michael Beeley



Hugh Maginnis, Jr.



Kevin Letendre

Club Presents Scholarships

The Shawsheen Village Woman's Club awarded scholarships to two graduates from Andover High School and two graduates from Lawrence Vocational Technical School.

Recipients from Andover High were Hugh Maginnis, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Maginnis, 16 Rennie Drive, and Stephan Borden, 40 Ballardvale Road. Hugh also received the Distinguished Athlete Award from the U.S. Marine Corps as he was captain of three varsity teams. He will attend Villanova College. Stephan will major in computer science at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, N.Y.

The students from Lawrence Vocational are Michael Beeley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beeley, 290 Lowell St., and Kevin Letendre, son of Ann Letendre, 22 Oak Crest Circle, both from Methuen.

Michael will attend the New Hampshire Vocational School in Manchester, N.H. and is planning a career in H.V.A.C. (heating, ventilation and air conditioning). Kevin will major in electrical mechanical design at Middlesex Community College.

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Demonstration

The Reading Art Association will open its season with Ward Mann demonstrating a landscape in watercolor on Sept. 14 at 8 p.m. at the First Congregational Church, first (chapel) side door, Sanborn Street, Reading.

Some of Mann's paintings are in permanent collections of the Smithsonian Institution, the Memorial Art Gallery and the United States Coast Guard.

The public is invited.

Trends in Kitchen and Bath Design



by Kevin Hennessy and Sean Walsh

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Secretary of State Michael J. Connolly has urged all Massachusetts' registered voters to vote in the state primary on Thursday, Sept. 15.

The original date for the primary, Connolly explained, was Sept. 20, which fell on the Jewish holy day of Yom Kippur. State legislature changed this date last December, by special law, for 1988 only.

Connolly, the state's chief election

officer, said, "We haven't seen a Thursday primary in more than 20 years. My office has been working with local city and town clerks and the media to alert the public about this unusual date. I want to encourage all registered voters to mark their calendars now and come out to the polls on Thursday, Sept. 15."

The polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Housing Applicants Sought

The Andover Housing Authority is seeking applicants for its one bedroom Section 8 Housing Assistance Program. Eligible/qualified applicants include disabled or handicapped individuals or elderly persons 62 years of age or older, whose gross income is not greater than the following: one occupant, \$13,500 gross income; two occupants, \$15,400 gross income.

Preference will be given to Andover residents. Under the Section 8 Housing Assistance Program, applicants have their rents subsidized and pay approximately 30 percent of their income towards rent. Estimated waiting period is six months to one year. Applications are available at the Housing Authority Office, 100 Morton St., Andover, between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Food Co-Op Resumes

Andunder Food Co-op is beginning its 1988-89 season and welcomes new members.

The co-op is made up of families from six area towns who join together to order fresh produce, cheeses and other grocery items from Northeast Co-operative Warehouse in Boston. Organically grown produce and naturally prepared foods are among

the many items available.

The co-op operates every other Wednesday and a work commitment of three hours per month is required of all members. Food pick-up is at Evans Hall, Phillips Academy, Andover.

For more information, write to Andunder Food Co-op, P.O. Box 454, West Boxford, MA 01885.

Program Booklet Mailed

The Department of Community Services' new, larger-sized fall program booklet has been mailed to residents. Registration will be held

Wednesday, Sept. 14, at the Doherty Memorial Auditorium from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. Classes and programs begin Monday, Sept. 26.

Orientation Coffees

The administration and the counseling department at Andover High School are hosting two orientation coffees for parents in the Collins Center area at 7 a.m. Ninth-grade parents are invited to attend a coffee and information session on Wednesday, Sept. 14. Tenth-grade parents are invited on Thursday,

Sept. 15. The early morning session is aimed at encouraging parents to attend before the work day begins.

Parents will have an opportunity to meet in a small group with their child's counselor, to ask questions and to communicate any concerns they may have at the beginning of the school year.

Fall Term

The Greater Lawrence YWCA begins its fall term Monday, Sept. 14. A variety of fitness and aquatic programs are available Mondays through Fridays from 7 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. and Saturdays from 8 a.m. to noon. Gym and pool

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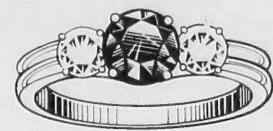
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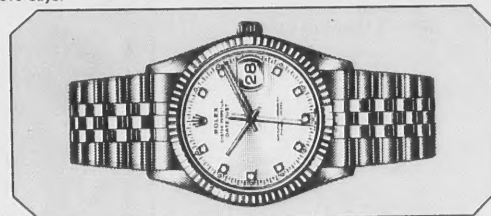
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POLICE LOG

Arrests

Tuesday, Aug. 30 — William Piescak of Lowell, arrested for driving with suspended license, 10:26 a.m.

Friday, Sept. 2 — James Garthright of Nashua, N.H., arrested on warrant, 8 a.m.; Kenneth Odea of Methuen, arrested on warrant, 8:17 a.m.; Patrick Coughlin of Lowell, arrested on warrant, 1:43 p.m.; Brian Graves of Boston, arrested on suspicion of assault, motor vehicle larceny and operating a motor vehicle to endanger, 12:25 a.m.

Saturday, Sept. 3 — Steven Welch of Peabody, arrested on warrant, 1:04 p.m.; Timothy Phillips of Lawrence, arrested on warrant, 6:04 p.m.; Brian O'Halloran of Boston, arrested on suspicion of driving under the influence, 9:06 p.m.

Sunday, Sept. 4 — Robert Nutter of Methuen, arrested on suspicion of driving under the influence, possession of dangerous weapon, driving with suspended license and warrant, 3:24 a.m.; William Wholey, 140 Main St., arrested on suspicion of driving under the influence, 10:48 p.m.

Accidents

Tuesday, Aug. 30 — Hit and run, 123 Tewksbury St., 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday, Aug. 31 — Non-injury accident, 486 Lowell St., 9:25 p.m.; injury accident at 486 Lowell St., 10:02 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 1 — Non-injury accident, 40 River Road, 8:14 a.m.

Saturday, Sept. 3 — Non-injury accident, 125 Wildwood Road, 3:31 a.m.; personal injury accident at 184 North Main St., 12:54 a.m.; personal injury accident at Lowell and Haverhill streets, 4:41 p.m.

Sunday, Sept. 4 — Non-injury accident at 50 Union St., 5:42 p.m.; non-injury accident, 2A Dewey St., 9:42 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 5 — Non-injury accident, 35 Chestnut St., 2:48 p.m.

Breaks

Tuesday, Aug. 30 — Burglary at 80 Dascomb Road, 9:12 p.m.

Wednesday, Aug. 31 — Break-in at Doyle Lumber, 43 River Road, 2:17 a.m.

Friday, Sept. 2 — Burglary at 55 Juniper Road, 4:21 p.m.

Sunday, Sept. 4 — Motor vehicle break-in at Sheraton, 2:12 p.m.

Thefts

Thursday, Sept. 1 — Theft reported at Phillips Academy, 9:19 a.m.

Vandalism

Tuesday, Aug. 30 — Motor vehicle vandalism, 136 Greenwood Road, 10:04 p.m.

Wednesday, Aug. 31 — Motor vehicle vandalism, 4 Harding St., 6:31 a.m.

Thursday, Sept. 1 — Motor vehicle vandalism, 9 David Circle, 8:06 a.m.; motor vehicle vandalism, 4 Barbara Lane, 8:59 a.m.; motor vehicle vandalism, 7 Germano Way, 10:15 a.m.; Marriott Hotel, pellet shot through window, 2:19 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 3 — Vandalism reported at 90 Main St., 7:13 a.m.; BB holes in windows, 93 Main St., 9:57 a.m.; mailbox, 8 Countyside Way, 9:50 p.m.; mailbox, 463 South Main St., 10:03 p.m.

Sunday, Sept. 4 — Mailbox, 187 Woburn St., 9:36 a.m.; mailbox, 191 Woburn St., 9:52 a.m.; mailbox, 16 Rattlesnake Hill Road, 11:13 a.m.; mailbox, 123 Woburn St., 11:33 a.m.; broken windows, 11 Chestnut St., 11:48 a.m.; mailbox, 89 Rattlesnake Hill Road, 1:35 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 5 — Vandalism reported at 60 Chestnut St., 10:13 a.m.

Stolen Cars

Tuesday, Aug. 30 — Car reported stolen at 140 River Road, 6:25 p.m.; vehicle reported stolen at Central Street, 8:17 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 5 — Vehicle reported stolen at 145 River Road, 12:02 p.m.



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Massachusetts posted a 3.3 percent unemployment rate in August, down from 3.7 percent the previous month, Marlene B. Seltzer, commissioner of the Department of Employment and Training, announced.

Preliminary estimates show that Massachusetts' job growth remains healthy at slightly more than 2 percent over the same period last year, adding between 65,000 and 70,000 new jobs. Between July and August, the construction and manufacturing sectors showed the largest growth, with expected seasonal increases. All other sectors remained stable.

The eight-month average unemployment rate in Massachusetts was 3.2 percent, compared to 3.4 percent for the same period in 1987. According to Seltzer, "People are back to work following a typically slow business period in mid-summer. The August decline in unemployment is, in part, a reflection of seasonal pick-up as workers return to their jobs."

The nation's August unemployment rate was 5.6 percent, up slightly from July's 5.4 percent rate.

Meetings

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This fine arts show of more than 100 New England artists will feature paintings in all media, graphics, photography, drawings and sculpture. The artists will compete for ribbons and cash awards for outstanding works in all categories.

Food concessions, free parking and rest room facilities will be provided on the grounds. Proceeds go to the AAG's scholarship fund.

Music Teachers Meet Monday

The Merrimack Valley Music Teachers' Association will hold the first meeting of its 11th season on Monday, Sept. 12 at 9:30 a.m.

Contact the group's president, Joy Schuetze, 143 Broadway St., Haverhill, 01830, for more information.

Bike Trip

DCS Thursday night bike riders are planning their end-of-the-year jaunt to Plum Island on Saturday, Sept. 10. Rain date is Sept. 17. Experienced cyclists only will leave Town Office building side lot at 9 a.m. and return at approximately 4:30 p.m. The trip is between 50-55 miles long. No riders under 13 please. The trip averages about 12 mph. A good test is if you are able to bike 25 miles in two hours. Lunches can be brought or bought in Newburyport. Dave Williams and John Bentley, experienced cyclists who have led intown trips all summer, will be the leaders.

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Exhibiting artists from Andover are Mary Bailey, Barbara Crouch, Beverly Darling, John Doyle, Joseph Frio, Eve Glendinning, Paula Gronquist, Elaine Meisner, Doris Peterson, Ruth Ruskin, Louis Small, Dot Starkweather, Kristina Trott and Bette Wasserboehr.

Scholar

Kendall B. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce O. Davis of North Andover, has been named a College Scholar, the highest recognition for academic achievement for the spring term at Middlebury College.

Students who receive this designation must have earned four Bs or better during a semester and have a grade point average of 3.5 or higher.

At St. Lawrence

Steven E. Mencis, 4 Glenn Cove Road, Andover, will be welcomed as a member of the freshmen class at St. Lawrence University, Canton, N.Y. this week. He is a graduate of Phillips Academy, Andover.



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The hospital is the first to offer the phaco-emulsification technique in the Merrimack Valley. The procedure is performed by Kellan who says that more than 90 percent of his cataract patients are eligible for the procedure.

LGH Among Top Hospitals

Lawrence General Hospital is ranked among the 10 best suburban Boston hospitals in a survey of 14,188 physicians in eastern Massachusetts by Boston Magazine. The physicians surveyed cited LGH for excellence in providing care for accident victims and families having a baby. Lawrence General is the only Merrimack Valley hospital included on the list, published in the September edition of the magazine.

"We are thrilled to be ranked among the top hospitals in eastern Massachusetts by so many physicians," says Joseph S. McManus, LGH president. "Lawrence General Hospital has a long

tradition of offering top quality, family centered care for maternity patients. We are also committed to providing area residents with state-of-the-art emergency services."

The survey asked physicians which hospitals they would choose if they were confronted by 10 medical events. In addition to accidents and having a baby, the categories included coronary, stroke, cancer, diabetic coma, third degree burns, head injury, kidney transplant and AIDS.

Other top suburban hospitals included on the list are Lahey Clinic and Emerson and Framingham Union hospitals.

At New Hampshire

Meredythe D. Fisk, 18 Bradley Road, Andover, has been accepted for the fall 1988 semester at New Hampshire College in Manchester, N.H. Fisk will major in computer information systems.



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The course includes films on babysitting practices, guest speakers, demonstrations and practice of choking alleviation technique.

The course will be taught at the Andover-North Andover YMCA on Tuesdays from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m.; Doherty on Wednesdays from 2:15 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.; and West Middle School on Thursdays from 2:15 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

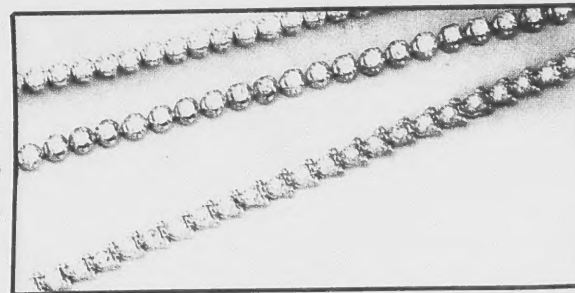
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Getting Ready

Proceeds from the Stetson Ball, to be held Oct. 14 at the Andover Marriott, will benefit the Lawrence General Hospital Coronary Care Unit. Here, CCU head nurse Rhonda Dorsey, R.N., seated, gives ball committee members a first-hand look at how her unit operates. Standing, left to right, are committee members Adrienne English and Connie Kaufman of Andover; Wendy Stern of North Andover; Debra Mathias of Boxford; and Barbara Liss, co-chairman, also of Andover.

Irish Studies Offered

Northern Essex Community College will offer for the second year a series of ten-week mini-courses on Ireland and its culture in collaboration with the Ancient Order of Hibernians.

Beginning September 27 and 29, the series will feature "Introduction to Celtic Art" and "Tracing Your Irish Roots" on Tuesdays from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. and "In-

troduction to Irish History" and "Beginning Gaelic" on Thursdays from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. in the Hibernian Hall, 9 Appleton St., Lawrence.

Registration will take place at Central Catholic High School, 300 Hampshire St., Lawrence, Sept. 8 and 12 and at the Hibernian Hall Sept. 27 and 29 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

On Dean's List

Kathryn L. Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Murphy of Andover, has attained Dean's List status, the second highest recognition for academic achievement for the spring term at Middlebury College.

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For the past five years he has been vice president of marketing and sales for Brooks Automation, dealing with robots and consumables for the semiconductor field. Previous to that, Jaye spent four years as director of market development for Instrumentation Laboratory, preceded by four years as marketing man-

ager of the London Co., a subsidiary of Radiometer.

From 1969 to 1975, he served in varying positions at Technicon Corp., including marketing manager of clinical chemistry systems and marketing manager of biological products.

Jaye received a bachelor of science degree in biology/chemistry and an MBA in marketing management from Farleigh Dickinson University.

He and his wife, Paula, and their two children live on Waverly Drive.

Butterflies

The Peabody Museum of Salem will present the "Life Cycle of the Monarch Butterfly" for children five to 10 years old on Saturday, Sept. 17, at 10:30 a.m. in the museum's education room.

Children will learn about the four stages of the monarch's life using live specimens, slides and a movie.

Prior registration is required.

On Dean's List

Eric J. Fitzpatrick of Andover has been named to the Dean's list for the spring semester at Norwich University, Northfield, Vt.

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Andover Boy Visits Japanese Student Family Hosted

By Andy MacLeod

How I Spent My Summer Vacation

Last summer I had the opportunity to learn about Japan when my family hosted an exchange student, Masaki Niisaka, from Nichinan, a very small town located 500 miles south of Tokyo on the island of Kyusyu. Although he spoke very little English and I spoke no Japanese, we were able to communicate very well.

Throughout the past year I have been writing to my friend and hoping to visit his town.

I am happy to say I've just returned from spending an exciting three weeks visiting Japan.

My adventure began the minute I arrived in Tokyo. Friends picked us up at Narita Airport and I was informed I had to take my shoes off when I entered their van. A "no shoes van": welcome to Japan!

My first nights were spent in a section of Tokyo called Shinjuku. It is a wild place—neon lights and people everywhere.

It rained and it was incredible to try to cross the street with 100 people coming toward you with umbrellas. I found the people in Shinjuku to be very nice. I asked directions to a hotel I wanted to go to and the bellboy dropped everything to walk me over to the hotel.

The restaurants were really neat. They have displays in all their windows of plastic replicas of their meals. I found it easy to pick out what I wanted to eat and the food was very good. Shinjuku also has Dunkin Donuts, Mister Donut, McDonalds and Kentucky Fried Chicken.

In Tokyo I got to see many places in-

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Andy MacLeod, 12, spent three weeks in Japan this summer. He spent some of his time with Masaki Niisaka, an exchange student the MacLeods hosted last year.

Summer Fun

If you are a student from Andover and did something interesting or unusual this summer, tell us about it. Send your typed, double-spaced entries to Melissa De Meo at

The TOWNSMAN, P.O. Box A-T, Andover. Please include your name, age, school, grade and telephone number.

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What's Going On At Andover High School

Today

Opening day of school for ninth- and 10th-graders

Friday

School opens for 11th- and 12th-graders
3 p.m. Girls' swimming at Haverhill-Carnival

Monday

Madrigal Chorus auditions (Choral Room)

Tuesday

Madrigal Chorus auditions (Choral Room)

3:30 p.m. Golf vs. Chelmsford

Junior varsity and varsity field hockey vs. Haverhill

5:30 Girls' junior varsity soccer vs. Tewksbury

7 Girls' varsity soccer vs. Tewksbury

Wednesday

Auditions for three-act play (Collins Center)

Administration/counseling department coffee for parents of ninth-graders

3:30 p.m. Girls' cross country vs. Presentation of Mary

Volleyball at Lawrence

Friday

Half-day, in-service day

Administration/counseling department coffee for parents of 10th-graders

Auditions for three-act play (Collins Center)

3:30 p.m. Golf vs. Lowell

Junior varsity and varsity field hockey vs. Chelmsford

5:30 Boys' junior varsity soccer vs. Chelmsford

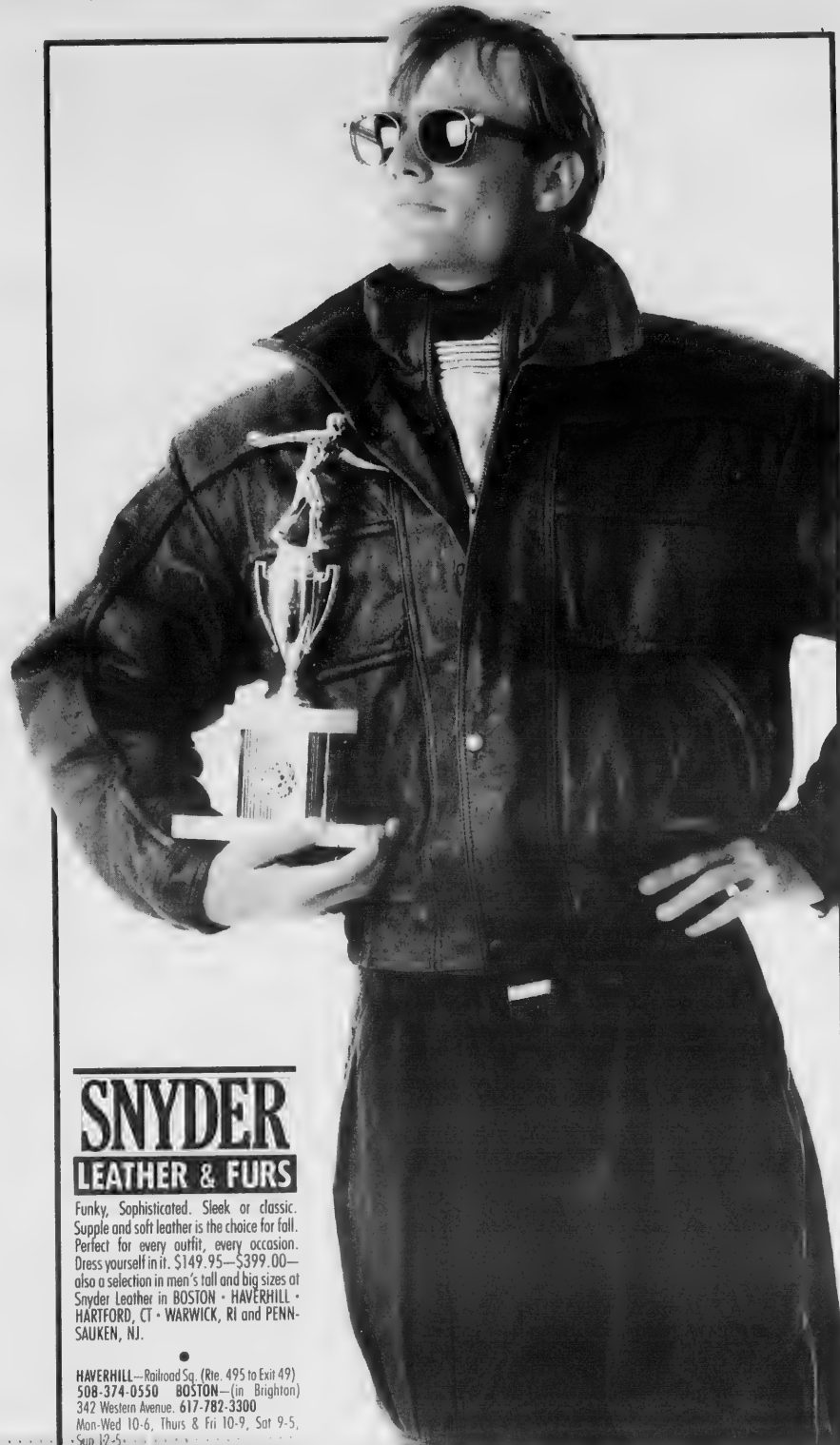
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About 50 people from all around eastern Massachusetts were on hand for the tee off to start Tuesday's golf tournament, which benefited the Andover Hockey Association.

Golf Raises Hockey Money

The Andover Hockey Association hasn't completed tallying the results of a fund-raising benefit it sponsored Tuesday, but association secretary Pam Kearins expects the group will reach its goal. She said the Hockey Association wants to collect between \$6,000 and \$10,000.

Kearins said Tuesday's golf tournament attracted a good turnout, with approximately 100 golfers showing up at the Andover Country Club and another 50 for dinner at the club.

The idea of the tournament was hockey director Brendan Sheehy's, and Kearins says the association wants the fund-raiser to become an annual event. This is the first one.

A total of 200 Andover kids, ranging in age from 5 to 17, participate in the Hockey Association from the clinic to midget levels.

Fred Hansberry headed the association's golf tournament committee, whose members were Kearins, George Coburn, Regina Doyle, Mike Lombard and Betsy Murphy.

Townsmen photos by Matthew Sapienza



Golfers were treated to a light lunch before hitting the fairways.



This golfer watches his ball as he makes his way through the course at the Andover Country Club.

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Early Childhood Center Plans Fall Schedule

Students of the Early Childhood Center at Shawsheen start the school year today. Families of incoming students should have received information such as the name of their children's teachers and bus numbers and pick-up times.

The school has set aside a few dates:
Sept. 15 7:30 p.m. Parent-Teacher Organization meeting. All parents are encouraged to attend this panel discussion on children's adjustment to school.

Sept. 28, 29 7:30 p.m. Open house at Shawsheen for parents only. Parents may tour the school, and teachers will be available to discuss their classroom programs. Parents are urged to attend the night their child's teacher is present. More information will be provided in "Coconoon," a newsletter that will go home with each child on Sept. 9.

If you have any questions or concerns, submit a letter to the Shawsheen School with a telephone number where you can be reached. The center's staff will get back to you as soon as possible.

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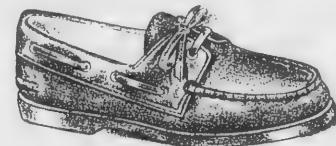
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YMCA Offers Fall Courses For Fitness, Test-takers

Now is the time for all high school students and adults to register for fitness classes at the Andover-North Andover YMCA. All classes have limited enrollment—so, don't wait! Here are some of the programs offered:

- The Y's Way to Physical Fitness, the YMCA national program to improve cardiovascular and muscular fitness, meets Monday, Wednesday and Friday with the option of taking the class from 6:15 a.m. to 7 a.m. or from 7:15 p.m. to 8:15 p.m.

- Early Bird fitness classes meet Tuesday and Thursday from 6:15 a.m. to 7 a.m. Instructor Suzanne Dimmock's workout includes stretching, jogging, aerobic combinations and cool down.

- Intermediate/Advanced Aerobics, a co-ed free style aerobic exercise program, is designed for adults of all fitness levels with the option of taking the class on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9:35 a.m. to 10:35 a.m. or Tuesday and Thursday from 7:15 p.m. to 8:15 p.m. and Saturday from 9:05 a.m. to 10:05 a.m.

- Joy Aerobic Dance, a choreographic dance and exercise program, meets Tuesday and Thursday from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. and Saturday at 8 a.m. New routines are learned each 10-week session.

- Pre-Natal/Post-Partum Exercise will work on muscle tone, flexibility and relaxation and were specifically developed to help prepare for labor and aid in a quick post-partum recovery. Class meets Tuesday and Thursday from 9:45 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Other programs include low impact aerobics, tummy toners and Y's Way to a Healthy Back. Massage Therapy, a half-hour of stress reduction and relaxation, is open to members and non-members; women on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, men on Monday and Wednesday evenings.

The YMCA is offering a class in the yoga/Feldenkrais method.

The Y describes it as a "body-mind method that gives a strong sense of well-being and confidence to those who practice it."

"Some students of the method think these slow, gentle exercises have a magical quality—that this is what they have been looking for as a means to tune the body, making it more intelligent and better able to cope with the stresses of modern living," the Y staff said.

The Feldenkrais method combined with

yoga may help you to feel more comfortable physically, regain movement, improve self-image and flexibility and gain agility in sports. Eight-week classes meet on Mondays from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Tuesdays from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., beginning the week of Sept. 19.

Registrations from members and non-members are being accepted for youth classes that begin the week of Sept. 19 and run for eight weeks. Classes that have openings include:

- Parent/Child swim for children 3-5 years old meets Monday from 9 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. and Wednesday from 11 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

- Movement exploration for children 3-4 years old meets Thursday from 2:50 p.m. to 3:20 p.m.

- Pre-Tumblebugs for children ages 4½ to 6 years old meets Wednesday from 1:25 p.m. to 1:55 p.m. or 2 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. or Thursday from 2 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

- Tumblebugs for children ages 5-6½ years old meets Monday from 2 p.m. to 2:40 p.m.; Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 9:40 a.m. or 2 p.m. to 2:40 p.m.; or Thursday from 9 a.m. to 9:40 a.m. or 1:10 p.m. to 1:50 p.m.

- Sportsbugs for ages 4½-6½ years old offers a different sport activity each week: soccer, basketball, t-ball, floor hockey. Classes meet Monday from 1:10 p.m. to 1:50 p.m. or 2 p.m. to 2:40 p.m. (kindergarten only) or Wednesday from 1:10 p.m. to 1:50 p.m.

- Y's Way to Fun and Games for grades one through three is an alternative to traditional sports. Cooperative games will

be taught emphasizing team work, goal-setting and fun on Friday from 4:15 p.m. to 5 p.m.

- Live Y'ers for grades one through six includes crafts, games, special activities and swimming on Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon.

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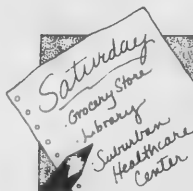
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The Merrimack Valley Pirates, an age-group U.S. swimming team, will hold tryouts for the 1988-'89 short course swim season at the Greater Lawrence Technical School, 57 River Road, during the week of Sept. 12-17. Candidates should report to the pool site at 4:30 p.m. each day. Boys and girls ages 6 and over are welcome to participate.

Steven Ostapowicz, formerly with the Shawmut Aquatic Club, and Mick Minutoli, who previously coached the New England Barracudas, will start their official duties next week.

Philadelphia tried to sell the Liberty Bell for scrap in 1828, but couldn't find a buyer.

BABY TALK



by Jack Resnick

Babies are fascinated by older children. If your baby is not your first child, you'll soon discover that he or she is just as interested in her brother or sister as she is in you. Once your baby is old enough for them to play together, this will be one of her favorite pastimes. If you provide the opportunity and encouragement for this kind of play, you benefit your whole family. You get a brief relief from the baby care, and most mothers certainly need that from time to time.

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The Y is accepting registrations for an SAT (verbal) preparation/study skills course designed for high school seniors who are taking the SAT in November and sophomores and juniors who want to get an early start on preparation.

Students will learn techniques for taking the verbal portion of the SAT, including the analogy, sentence completion, vocabulary and reading comprehension sub-tests. These skills will be put to use as students take actual SATs (verbal portion) for practice. Some of the information presented will also be applicable to the math sections of the test. Participants will obtain actual SAT math sub-tests.

The course will focus on study skills instruction. Topics include listening, note-taking, memorizing, concentrating, reading comprehension, test-taking and time management skills.

Roberta Wolman, a reading specialist at Minuteman Vocational who previously taught at Boston University, has been successfully teaching SAT prep/study skills for more than 15 years. The field of study skills has led her to serve as a speaker and writer and has included training professionals and publishing a workbook.

There will be eight class sessions: Sept. 18, 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.; Sept. 25, 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.; Sept. 28, 7 p.m. to 9:15 p.m.; Oct. 2, 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.; Oct. 16, 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.; Oct. 19, 7 p.m. to 9:15 p.m.; Oct. 23, 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.; and Oct. 30, 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

For further information on any of its programs, contact the Andover-North Andover Y, 165 Haverhill St. in Andover.

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Stroke Club Schedules Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Greater Lawrence Stroke Club will be held Thursday, Sept. 22, at 2 p.m. at the North Andover Senior Citizens Center, 120R Main St., North Andover.

The opening meeting will welcome new members, spouses and friends and talk about program planning for the coming year. Family and friends are always welcome.

Easter Seal Stroke Clubs are comprised of people who have had a stroke, their families and friends and are designed to offer peer group support. Each club is a member's best resource for developing a better understanding of his/her ability.

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Eric M. Dollin, 19 Wiseman Drive, Andover, has been accepted for the fall 1988 semester at New Hampshire College in Manchester, N.H. He will major in hotel restaurant management.

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Pedicino Adviser At Dartmouth

Jon R. Pedicino, a Dartmouth College sophomore from Andover, was selected as an undergraduate adviser for the 1988-89 academic year.

Undergraduate advisers primarily are responsible for assisting freshmen in their personal and social adjustments to life at the college. The undergraduate advising program was established in 1979 and is run by the office of residential life.

Each undergraduate adviser lives with eight to 16 freshmen in a residence hall and serves as a peer counselor and resource for student services avail-

able on campus. The advisers facilitate social, educational and cultural programming for all students in dormitories.

Pedicino, son of Joseph and Diane Pedicino of 37 Juniper Road, is a 1987 graduate of Phillips Academy.

Dartmouth, the ninth oldest college in the United States and the northernmost of the Ivy League institutions, has an enrollment of some 4,000 undergraduates and nearly 1,000 graduate students.

Volunteer

Jonathan Samel of Samel Insurance Agency, 15 Central St., Andover, represented the Professional Insurance Agents of New England at the fifth annual Massachusetts Special Olympics Unified Sports Tournament at Fitchburg State College.

More than 75 volunteers for PIA/NE, a professional trade association representing close to 5,000 independent insurance agents throughout New England, planned the tournament which included 450 athletes competing in softball, volleyball and team bowling competition.

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Farming Exhibit Continues

By Karen Herman

The Andover Historical Society's exhibition on farming continues through Oct. 6. Of particular interest is the "Map of West Parish Farms in 1931," recently researched and drawn by local artist, James S. Batchelder. Stone walls, many of which are still visible, delineate farm boundaries. Apples, lettuce heads, cows, chickens, a turkey and strawberries symbolize the products of the area. The largest landowner was the American Woolen Company who operated the Shawsheen Stock, Wild Rose and Clover Farms.

Many Andoverites associate the American Woolen Company formerly in Shawsheen Village only with the textile industry. In 1919 William Wood, company owner, used the Arden Trust to purchase agricultural land in West Andover with intent of developing model farms which would supply the Village with meat, produce, poultry and dairy products. By creating a direct line between producer and consumer, outside middle men would be eliminated and the community would become self sufficient. Such an arrangement would be financially profitable for the company also.

The Andover Townsman published an article on August 29, 1919, which philosophically set the tone for Wood's agricultural venture. A number of men, "the Blue Book of Northeast business leaders," including Wood, founded the "Farm and Food Foundation." Its purpose was to introduce and sustain cooperative buying in the northeastern United States. The foundation would encourage young men to consider farming, assist them in obtaining an agricultural education, and provide, if necessary, the financial backing to get them started, thereby reestablishing the livestock industry in New England. All assistance would be funneled through state and local farm organizations like the Farm Exchange.

Wood and others hoped to attract returning World War I veterans and advertised widely during 1919-20 for farmers and farmhands to look to Andover for available work and land.

Four major farms were begun in Andover by the American Woolen Company; Shawsheen Stock Farm on Argilla Road, Wild Rose Farm on Lowell Street and Argilla Road, Clover Farm, and Arden Farm on Lowell Street. Other minor farms also produced for the Shawsheen market.

An Andover Grange Field and Fair Day was held when the American Woolen Company Farms opened October 5, 1921. "Cattle, poultry, swine and livestock competed for blue ribbons," as did exhibits of vegetables, fruit, flowers, canned

and baked goods. Wood, state agricultural commissioner A.W. Gilbert and other notables spoke.

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The successes of this agricultural enterprise during the 1920s was widely recorded in the local news, but the waning fortunes of the northeast textile industry and the American Woolen Company led to their eventual demise. By 1930 the Arden Trust had sold or auctioned its farms and Wood's dream of a self sufficient mill community became a memory.

Duetists

Bentley College's fourth Performing Arts Series will feature concert piano duetists Barbara and Gerhardt Suhrstedt Sept. 28 in Lindsay Hall Auditorium, Forest and Beaver Streets, Waltham, at 8 p.m.

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The median sales price of an existing single-family home in Massachusetts was \$154,000 for the second quarter of 1988, according to data compiled by the Massachusetts Association of Realtors.

The price, based on sales reported by association-affiliated multiple listing services, was up 6.2 percent from the median a year ago, \$145,000.

On a region-by-region basis, prices ranged from a high of \$190,000 in the 51 communities in and around Boston to a low of \$120,000 in the western part of the state, including Springfield.

On a percentage basis, prices rose most in the west climbing 20 percent above last year's median of \$100,000.

In the central region, encompassing Worcester County, prices climbed 10.2 percent from \$128,900 to \$142,000 for the quarter.

North of Boston, including Lowell, Lawrence and the North Shore, prices rose just 1.3 percent to \$162,000 from \$159,900 a year ago, while in the southeast region the median was \$146,300, up 5.3 percent from \$139,000.

"Current market conditions indicate home prices are going to remain relatively stable," said association president David M. Peretti. "The increase in homes available for sale in Massachusetts, coupled with higher mortgage rates, will slow price increases. We expect the most growth to come from the central and western regions of the state."

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years of experience and is able to have a competitive game utilizing ground strokes, volley and overhead shot. The class will be fast paced concentrating on strategy, footwork, perfecting shots and various spins on the ball.

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Stuart Thompson

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The MRA, with headquarters in Wakefield, is New England's largest foodservice association whose members operate more than 6,500 facilities throughout Massachusetts and employ nearly 200,000.

Founded in 1934, the MRA offers legislative support, educational seminars, insurance opportunities and training materials to its members.

Thompson has been an active member of the MRA for many years. He is past treasurer of the association and been active in many committees including the educational committee, the legislative committee, political action committee and exhibitors committee. He is present chairman of the public relations committee.

Thompson vows to continue his efforts

to insure that the foodservice industry's concerns be known. "with the exceptional growth of the foodservice industry throughout the Commonwealth, there exists an unprecedented need for our members to collectively express their views in order to play an integral role in decision-making. This can only be done by our continuing efforts in strengthening our grass-roots networking, both regionally and statewide," he said.

Thompson's Restaurant was previously managed by Thompson's father and grandfather.

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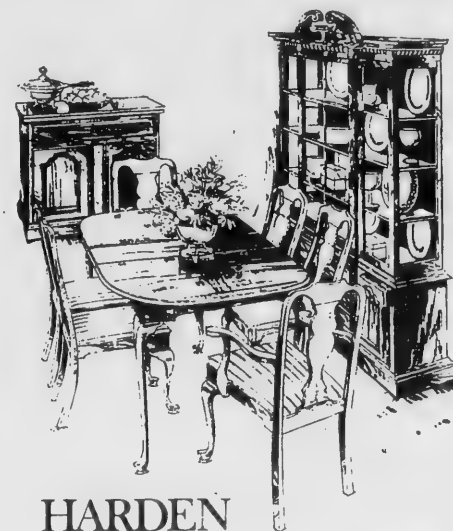
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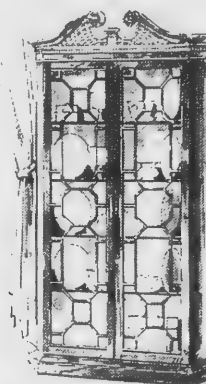
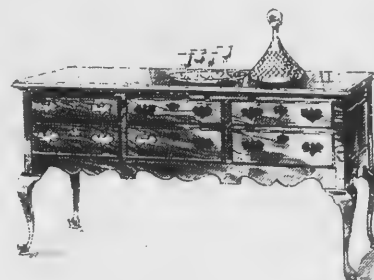
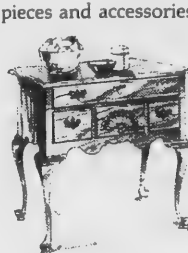
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Japan

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I then took the Shinkansen, or "bullet train," to Kyoto. This is the fastest train in Japan. Kyoto is a very beautiful and old city.

There were many places to visit. I went to the Nijo Castle, former home of the Shogun. The floors in the Nijo Castle are really unique. They are called "nightingale floors" because back in the days of the Shogun, he didn't want people to be able to sneak up on him or to eavesdrop on him, so when you walk on the wooden floors, they make a squeaking sound like nightingales as an alarm system.

I also visited the Golden Pavilion (very beautiful) and I went to Sanjusangendo. Sanjusangendo is a national treasure that was founded in 1164 A.D. It is a very holy building and has 1,000 images of Kannon, a Buddhist god, as well as the chief image of Kannon. I thought that Kiyomizu Temple was also very interesting.

Kyoto was celebrating the Gion festival and I got to enjoy the floats at night and the parade of the floats the next day. The parade keeps all the old traditions of 1,000 years ago: many groups of men in traditional costume pull huge wooden-wheeled floats carrying men playing various musical instruments. In order to turn the street corners, other men must lay bamboo out in the roads and wet the bamboo so that the wooden wheels can slide over them.

From Kyoto I took another train to Osaka. Osaka had many, many large office buildings and reminded me of New York City. In Osaka I visited the Osaka Castle. This castle was built in 1584. It was very interesting to see double moats around the castle. I also went to the Twin Towers. These are two large buildings with stores, offices and restaurants, similar in appearance to the Prudential Center.

From Osaka we got back on the Shinkansen and went to Beppu. We stayed at a ryokan, traditional Japanese inn. It was a very different experience. The floors were tatami mats and we slept on futons. We were served a very traditional Japanese dinner in our room.

Beppu is a very interesting place to visit. It has many hot springs, or jigoku ("hell-bubbling hot spring"). We visited eight of these. They are all very beautiful. At one spring, Umi-Jigoku, "Sea Hell," they lowered baskets of eggs and, after they were hardboiled, I got to eat them. Several signs warned: "Don't fall in or

you will be cooked!"

At some of the springs people believe breathing in the steam or sipping the water will help with various health problems.

From Beppu we took a different train down to Nichinan to visit our former exchange student. The further south we went, the more beautiful the countryside became. We were surrounded by both water and huge mountains, rows of pine trees and acres of rice fields.

As there weren't many foreign people around, we found we were stared at often and many people would smile, wave, give us the peace sign or yell, "Hello, Americans!" At one train stop, a group of Japanese high school students took our picture.

Our stay in Nichinan was fantastic. We were met at the train station by Masaki and his mother. We spent nine days at their apartment. Masaki was still in school, so each morning, including Saturday, he would put on his junior high school uniform and go off to school. He was given large amounts of homework each night. I had a chance to visit his school. I had to take my shoes off before entering the school. It was an old building, but very clean—and very quiet.

Lifestyles are very different in Nichinan. The entire family (and us) slept on futons on tatami mats in one room.

Meals were also interesting. Breakfast usually consisted of either sandwiches or hot dogs and hamburgers. Lunch was usually either a tempura dish—deep-fried vegetables or shrimp—or a bowl of rice with egg, fish or shrimp. Once we went to a traditional Japanese restaurant and had noodle soup with tempura. I was happy that I was able to eat this with my chopsticks. At dinner there were usually many different dishes prepared. I tried

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Japan

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lots of sushi. I ate everything from raw swordfish to octopus. Coke is a big seller in Japan: the slogan everywhere is "I Feel Coke."

The beaches in Nichinan were beautiful. I found it interesting to collect the different seashells. The sea urchins had very hard, long spines and blowfish (porcupine fish) were in the water. The ocean water was very warm.

Kendo is a very popular sport in Japan. While in Nichinan I got to watch the championship kendo matches—a sort of fencing with wooden swords. After the match I dressed in the kendo uniform. Masaki's sister, Souko, is the champion in her junior high school and she gave me her kendo sword to take home. Baseball is also very popular. I had the chance to play on the Little League team in Nichinan. The baseballs are made of a hard rubber material. I also found the pitchers in Japan pitch very fast and the strike zone is a lot wider.

We left Nichinan and took an overnight sleeping train to Tokyo. I met a Japanese boy on the train who spoke very little English. We stayed up most of the night listening to rap music on my Walkman. He was really amazed by the sound.

My last full day in Tokyo was spent visiting Tokyo Disneyland. I was surprised to see that there was no monorail or boat to take you to the main entrance. Main Street was also enclosed like a shopping mall. It was neat to ride on the Jungle Cruise and hear the trip described in Japanese.

Our departure from Japan was just as interesting as our arrival. The security is very good at the airport. We had to stop before entering the airport at a checkpoint. Our passports and carry-on luggage were looked at and then we were allowed to enter the airport grounds. All our luggage was again looked over before we were allowed to check in at our carrier. We then had to go through another area where our passports were checked and then, finally, one long, last line for the final security check.

We left Tokyo on a Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 p.m. and arrived in San Francisco on the same Tuesday at 10 a.m. I have many fond memories of Japan and hope that next summer my friends from Japan will visit me.

Andy, son of Eileen MacLeod of 14 Longwood Drive, is 12 and a Doherty Middle School seventh-grader.

Square Dancing

The Skirts 'N' Flirts Square Dance Club invites area couples to a free free introductory fun night of dancing at the West Intermediate School, Carter Lane, Wilmington, Thursday, Sept. 15, 22 or 29, at 8 p.m. Regu-

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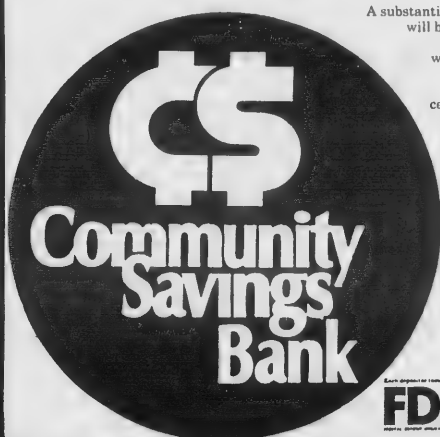


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Day Care

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School involvement in such programs varies from town to town, she said. But an after-school program should be "a partnership between the community, parents and the schools," Sperandio said.

A townwide task force, Andover School Age Child Care, was established in June of this year. It's working on a proposal for an after-school day care program for grades one to five, said co-chairman Sharon Checrallah.

ASACC was generated by a child care seminar sponsored by the League Of Women Voters in May. The league is acting as a "facilitator" to ASACC, said league member Susan Broude. They're supplying resources and giving procedural advice to the task force.

Not only does the group consist of working mothers with a vested interest in such a program, but also of business people who realize child care is crucial to running businesses, Broude said.

The primary goal of the group is to have an action plan by the spring of '89 so that a program may be implemented on a small scale the following September, Checrallah said.

This is not the first time day care has been an issue in Andover.

Studies have been conducted to determine the need for day care. The most recent one was mandated by the Board of Selectmen in March 1986. The 15-member committee submitted a report in January, 1987. That committee concluded that the initial focus of Andover's effort should be on an after-school, elementary child care program.

While noting that elementary school

representatives supported an extended day program, the report stated that those representatives were concerned with available space at the schools.

The committee's recommendations were based on the results of a child care need questionnaire, which was used to determine perceptions of the community. The report stated that "the committee supports the creation of a school age, child care program...an immediate recommendation is to pilot a self-supporting school age child care program utilizing shared space in an existing school."

To date, nothing has transpired from that committee's study. According to the committee chairman, Kenneth DeBenedictis, the School Committee said there was no available space in the Andover schools. But, he said, "I don't believe there's anyone in town who doesn't believe there's a need (for a day care program)."

Superintendent of Schools Dr. Kenneth Seifert agrees that there is a need. But he says the prospect of day care is a long way off. It could, however, be considered this year when the School Committee studies the existing school buildings and plans for future needs, he said.

School-age children are not the only ones in need of day care programs. There's also a need for programs geared toward younger children.

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Child Care Task Force To Meet

The Andover School Age Child Care task force will be meeting Sept. 15 at 7:30 p.m. in the second floor conference room at the town offices.

The task force is studying the after-school day care situation and working on an action plan. They will be discussing their philosophies and goals.

ASACC welcomes anyone who is interested in this issue to attend the meeting.



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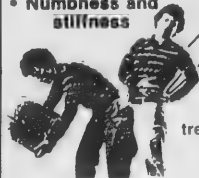
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Speaker: Edward V. Cox, III, M.D.

Dr. Cox is a neurosurgeon practicing with New England Neurological Associates, a group specializing in neurological surgery, physical medicine and rehabilitation, and neurology.

The incidence of low back pain is steadily increasing in our society and for those who live and work with this problem daily, its occurrence and resulting problems cause lost work time, increased medical expenses, and mental anguish. A large percentage of injuries to the lower back can be prevented. Dr. Cox will speak on the cause of low back pain, how to care for it and how to prevent recurrence or initial injury.

Place: Clark Auditorium at Lowell General Hospital
Time: 7:30-9:00 p.m.

Cost: \$5.00 for general public, \$3.00 for Lowell General Hospital employees and free to Golden Opportunities card holders

Pre-registration is helpful but not required. To register or to learn more about any of the Perspectives programs, please call Community Relations at (508) 937-6425.

HEALTH SCREENINGS AT LGH

September 26-30—Colorectal Cancer Screening at LGH Monday thru Friday 9 am-5pm, as part of National Colorectal Cancer Awareness month. Kits must be picked up outside Clark Auditorium and \$4⁰⁰ prepayment is required. Call 937-6363 with questions.

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For Those Of Us Who Are Older

By Dorothy M. Winn

Registration for fall classes at the senior center begins Wednesday, Sept. 14, at 10 a.m. Andover residents should have received the Department of Community Services booklet in the mail. The booklet lists a variety of classes and activities for residents of all ages. The Elder Affairs section is full of programs and activities of particular interest to senior citizens and their families. If you didn't receive a DCS booklet in the mail or you are not an Andover resident, you may pick up a copy of the Council on Aging fall program at the senior center. The lists used by DCS, the Council on Aging and other town departments are based on census information. If you didn't return your census form last January, you may have been dropped from the mailing list.

Classes at the senior center this fall include jazzercise with Kay Marson, oil painting with Donna Tine, easy exercise with Patricia Wilson, R.N., Carolyn Mattedi's needleart class, basic drawing with Anna Hogan, Dolly Nesbit's Tuesday line dancing class and line dancing with Wilfred McAvoy on Wednesdays, a class not listed in the booklet.

There are also many workshops, support groups and special events. Be sure to read the Elder Affairs section of the booklet for details.

Registration continues through September 23 and is required for all activities, regardless of the fee. Non-residents and people under the age of 60 are eligible to register on a space-available basis. Priority is given to Andover residents age 60

and older through September 16. Non-residents and under-60 participants pay an additional \$5 per course.

The annual Council on Aging foliage trip is scheduled for Tuesday, Oct. 11, along the Mohawk Trail and Quabbin Reservoir. Luncheon will be served at the historic Salem Cross Inn. The \$38 price includes luncheon, a hayride, tour of Salem Cross Inn and deluxe coach transportation.

The trip to historic Plymouth on Thursday, Nov. 3, includes deluxe coach transportation, admission to the Mayflower, a visit to Plymouth Rock and guided tour of Plimouth Plantation complete with a turkey buffet, all for \$24.

Non-residents are welcome on Andover Council on Aging trips. A \$2 non-resident fee is charged for all-day trips.

Tickets are on sale at the senior center for the annual Greater Law-

rence Association of Councils on Aging Recognition Day at the Methuen Senior Center on Wednesday, Sept. 28, at 5 p.m. Participants will enjoy a light supper, entertainment and dancing. Tickets cost \$3. Andover tickets are limited to Andover residents only.

Activities at the senior center will

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A mammoth Trash 'N Treasure Sale will be held Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 1 and 2, to benefit Creative Living, Inc., a local, non-profit group interested in establishing innovative residences for adult retarded citizens.

The sale will be held at the home of the group's first residence at 368 South Main St. (Route 28) in Andover from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. both days. Items to be sold are being accepted by Creative Living members. The event is chaired by Patricia Recesso and Joan Dow of Andover.

Creative Living, Inc. is comprised of parents, relatives, professionals and other interested individuals who strive to ensure that mentally retarded children who have always lived with their families will be guaranteed a home when their family can no longer care for them.

For more information on the group and its goals or on the Trash 'N Treasure Sale, contact Classic Threads in Lawrence.

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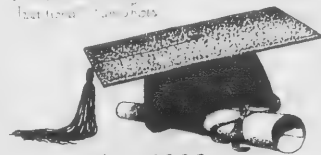
The public is invited to an easy-to-learn exercise demonstration Tuesday, Oct. 4, at 7:30 p.m. at Faith Lutheran Church, 360 South Main St., Andover.

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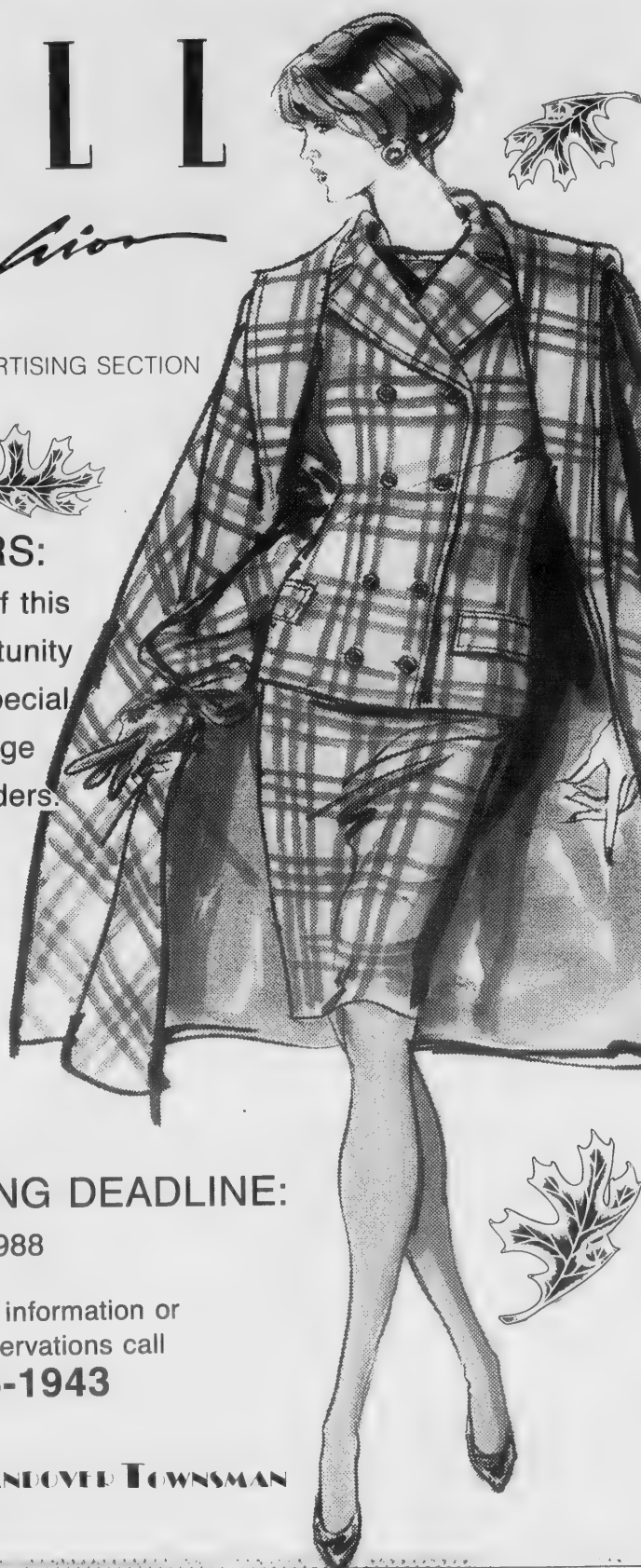
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The ad book committee has started solicitations to the business community. Residential mailing will be forthcoming.

Tickets can be purchased by mail or at Central Fire Station, North Main Street, or Box Office Video Plus, 8 High St.

Choir Rehearsal

The first rehearsal for Ballard Vale United Church's choir will be on Sept. 14 at 7:30 p.m.

On the same day and time, the Ballard Vale's church school teachers will meet to plan Christian Education Sunday, Sept. 18, when the school starts.

The adult class will meet at the parsonage at 9:30 a.m. Possible study texts *Mustard Seed Conspiracy* by Tom Sine and *Road Less Traveled* by Scott Peck will be reviewed.

The school begins at 10:30 a.m. for infants; nursery (ages 3-6); grades two to five; and grades six to seventh. Older youth will be encouraged to worship together. Sunday School teachers will be dedicated during the first part of worship.

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cancelled Thursday, Sept. 15, to allow residents of precincts 1, 3 and 8 to vote in the primary election. There will be no classes or lunches at the senior center on this date. Meals on Wheels will be delivered as usual.

If you have not registered to vote in the November 8 presidential election, you have until October 11 to do so. Information on extended registration hours and absentee voting is available by calling the Town Clerk's office.

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Rev. Paul and Barbara Bertolino Clergyman, Wife Teach Free Church Class

The Rev. Paul Bertolino and his wife, Barbara, will join Free Christian Church's teaching ministry this fall, according to the church's pastor, the Rev. Jack L. Daniel.

Rev. Bertolino has been involved in ministry for over 25 years and is an ordained clergyman with the Conservative Congregational Christian Conference. He spent 12 of those years in pastoral ministry and the other years involved in youth ministry, the diaconate, eldership and other areas.

Mrs. Bertolino is a full-time student at the University of Lowell, where she is working on a bachelor's degree in early childhood education.

The Bertolinos will be co-teaching an adult class called Growing Wise in Family Life. The text will be Charles Swindoll's book of the same title. Daniels described the session as a discussion class "with everyone contributing from their own experiences of family life and how those experiences fit into positive Christian family living."

Associate pastor Rev. Neil D. Olcott continues to oversee the Christian education program at Free Church, which includes two other adult Sunday morning courses. Registration for these and other classes (nursery through senior high school) will be held Sunday from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. in the church's Lower Hall, 31 Elm St.

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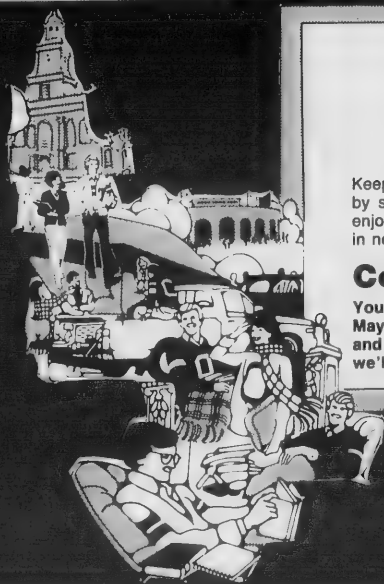
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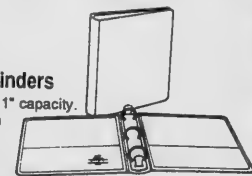
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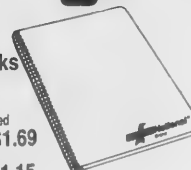
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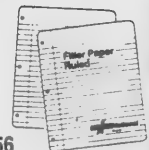
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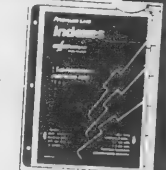
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Church Council Meets In Mass.

The Standing Commission on Faith and Order of the World Council of Churches, about 45 prominent theologians and denominational leaders from around the globe, have gathered at Holy Cross Greek Orthodox Seminary in Brookline. They will meet through Saturday.

The commission wanted interchanges with local ecumenical representatives during its stay, and the Massachusetts Council of Churches agreed to organize and coordinate these contacts.

Several events to foster exchange between commission members and New England church representatives are in the works, including a reception with denominational leaders and ecumenical commissions, an ecumenical exhibit and reception at the Boston Public Library and Labor Day Sunday visitations by teams of commission members to local churches.

An ecumenical forum offering presentations from and dialogue with members of the Faith and Order Commission tonight is open to the general church public. The forum will be held at the seminary, 60 Goddard St., at 7:30. This gathering will provide an opportunity to examine the theological dynamics and dilemmas of the faith and order movement.

The commission produced the document *Baptism, Eucharist and Ministry* in 1982. The evaluation of BEM will be a prominent item on the commission's agenda, along with such items as the apostolic faith project, concepts and models of unity and renewal of the human community.

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MONDAY: 6:30 p.m. Youth Leaders Meeting; 7:30 p.m., Flounders Circle; 8 p.m. "Homecoming."
TUESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Diaconate Meeting, Trustees Meeting.
WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Women's Evening Fellowship

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103); 5 p.m. Soprano rehearsal; 7 p.m. full Choir.
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After Pentecost; 10:30 a.m. Rally Day Worship in the Chapel; Communion Sunday; Neighbors in Need Collection Day; The Rev. Joseph LaDu, Senior Minister, will give the sermon "The Family as Church." The Scriptures: Isaiah 50:4-9, Mark 8:27-35. Refreshments following worship hosted by Bill and Nancy Gabriel. Church School during worship starting Sept. 18. Infant/Toddler care during worship.
MONDAY: 7:30 p.m. Ministry of Outreach, Ministry of Stewardship, Operations Commission.
TUESDAY: 5-7 p.m., Pilgrim Fellowship; 7:30 p.m. Ministry of Education, Ministry of Fellowship, Ministry of Worship.
WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Coffee preceding; 8 p.m. Congregational Meeting.

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A feature program called "Inner Journey" will be presented by Ray Guillette. Guillette's presentation is an introspective look at people and their emotions, the elegance of nature and the freedom of personal creativity.

The Camera Club will meet at the same place and time on Sept. 15 for Betty Rogers' program "How a Stock Photo Agency Operates."

General and special slides and slides that depict nature, boats and children at play are due for the club's monthly competition.

The club will host Millie Matasso's two-projector slide presentation with a musical background called "Quebec, La Belle Province." Matasso's program will be shown at 8 p.m. Oct. 13 at the Congregational First Church, 26 Pleasant St. in Methuen (near the Red Tavern).

Tickets are available at the door or from club members. Contact Ruth Leyden, publicity chairman, at Cottage Street in North Reading for more information.

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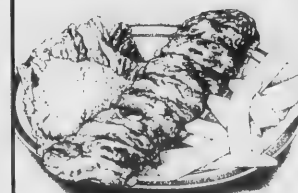
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Merrimack Junior Theatre

Auditions Make Showtime For Children

The Merrimack Junior Theatre, which operates in conjunction with the town's Department of Community Services, is holding auditions for the musical *Hey George*. This first production of the new season will feature a colorful cast of princes, princesses, knights and dragons.

Hey George will be under the direction of Josie Walker, who has directed numerous children's musicals. Her recent Andover productions include *Cinderella*, *Alice*, *Pinocchio* and *Tumbleweeds*. Walker, a West Elementary School music teacher, is also the director of "Confetti Kids," a theater workshop and performing arts troupe for children.

The *Hey George* auditions are open to all children in grades two through six. Each child should be prepared to act out a short poem or nursery rhyme and to sing a few bars of a familiar song.

Auditions are being held at the Doherty Middle School auditorium on Bartlet Street on Sept. 8 and 9 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Performance dates are Dec. 9, 10 and 11.

The board of the Merrimack Junior Theatre encourages any adults interested in supporting a theater for young people and/or helping with the upcoming production to contact director Walker or MJT president Corinne Gedinman of Andover.

Seed Sale

The Massachusetts Audubon Society is sponsoring a bird seed sale offering special blends of seeds and grains formulated to attract a wide spectrum of birds.

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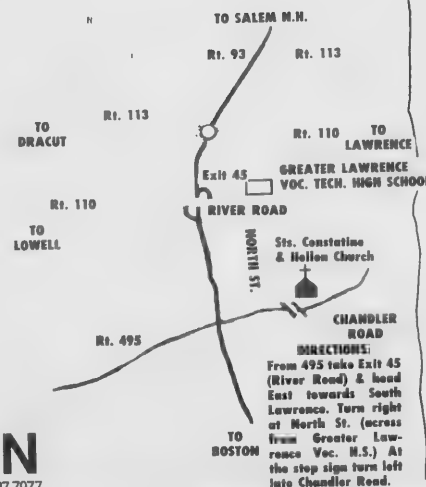
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Ms. Douglas is a graduate of Andover High School and the Burdett School of Boston. She is currently attending Merrimack College for an accounting degree. She is a senior administrative secretary at the First National Bank of Boston.

Her fiancé graduated from North Reading High School, the University of Massachusetts-Amherst and Babson College. He is an assistant manager of Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Massachusetts.

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The Rev. Elizabeth McMaster of Cambridge performed the ceremony at the Unitarian Universalist Church in Reading.

Deborah H. Vivian of Bradford served as matron of honor, and Kurt B. Guthmann of Peabody was his brother's best man.

Greeting guests at the church were the bride's brothers, Lt. Cmdr. G. Bartlett Farrell of San Diego, Calif., and David C. Farrell of Tyngsborough.

The bride wore an ivory tea-length gown of raw silk and lace by Galanos with a matching headpiece. She carried a cascade of assorted spring flowers.

After a reception at the Lanam Club in Andover, the couple took a wedding trip to Tortola in the British Virgin Islands.

The bride graduated from Andover High School and Colby College in Waterville, Maine. She is pursuing a graduate degree in business administration at Boston University. She is a product manager for Wyse Technology in San Jose, Calif.

The groom graduated from Peabody



Mr. and Mrs. Grey Guthmann
High School and attended Beverly Community College. He is a production manager for Zyt Galerie in Los Altos, Calif.
The couple will live in Los Gatos, Calif.

Ellen Perry To Be Married Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wyman Perry of River Road and East Dennis announce the engagement of their daughter, Ellen Marie, to Bruce Alden Still, Jr., of Lakeville.

The wedding will take place Sept. 10 at the Dennis Union Church on the Village Green in East Dennis. Dr. Otis A. Maxfield of Boothbay Harbor, Maine, will officiate.

Miss Perry, a graduate of Andover High School and Southeastern Massachusetts University, works at the public relations office of Emmanuel College in Boston.

Mr. Still, son of Bruce A. Still, Sr. and the late M. Charyn (Gallagher) Still, is a graduate of Apponequet High School and attended Southeastern. He works at Great Spring Waters of America in Taunton.

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The Rev. Arthur Johnson, pastor of St. Augustine Church, performed the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attended by Louise Dowd of Andover as maid of honor. Robin Ward of Andover and Dawn Evans of Swampscott were bridesmaids.

Dan Hennessey of Andover was the best man. Gregory Howard of North Andover and Leo Gravell, III of Andover were ushers.

The bride wore a taffeta gown of Alencon lace with an illusion yoke and cathedral-length train. The gown's skirt was scalloped and adorned with strands of pearls, and the back was adorned with a large, taffeta bow. Its long-sleeves had lace insets and were puffed at the shoulder with strands of pearls. Her waist-length veil fell from a headband of pearl strands. She carried a bouquet of white and Reuben lilies, roses, orchids, freesia and pearls.

After a reception at the Andover Marriott, the couple took a cruise to the Bahamas.



Mr. and Mrs. David Hennessey

The bride is an Andover High School student. The groom attends Boston College.

The couple lives in Andover.

November Wedding Planned

Mr. and Mrs. David W. Hepworth announce the engagement of their daughter, Susan T., to David N. Bunker of Bedford, N.H. Mr. Bunker is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Alley of Gilford, N.H.

Ms. Hepworth graduated from Plymouth State College and is a computer consultant at Hepworth Associates.

Her fiancé, a graduate of the U.S. Air Force Academy, received a bachelor's degree in business and economics from the University of New Hampshire and a master of business degree from New Hampshire College. He is the eastern regional sales manager at Qume Corp.

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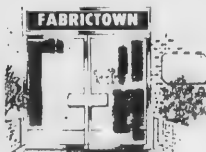
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Celebrating Rosh Hashana

Rosh Hashana, the beginning of the Jewish year, will be ushered in with services Sunday at 8:15 p.m. at Temple Emanuel, Haggetts Pond Road. The new year on the religious calendar is different from other Jewish festivals as it does not commemorate historic events in the life of the Jewish people.

Rosh Hashana ushers in a 10-day period of penitence that culminates with the fast on Yom Kippur. Thus, unlike the revelry and merrymaking which surrounds the approach of Jan. 1, it is greeted in a spirit of solemnity.

"Rosh Hashana is devoted to retrospection and spiritual inventory," according to temple staff. "It is a day of serious contemplation of the basic questions involved in man's existence, a time for self judgment

and self-appraisal in determining where we have failed to live up to our obligations to God and our duties to fellow human beings."

Rosh Hashana is also called Yom Hazikkoron, "day of remembrance," because, according to tradition, God remembers all his creatures and carefully weighs the merits and shortcoming of each individual. He judges them accordingly and determines the fate for each for the coming year. Rosh Hashana is also known as Yom Hadin, "day of judgment."

The continued growth of membership in Temple Emanuel requires double services. The services are conducted by Rabbi Harry A. Roth and the liturgy chanted by Cantor Donn Rosensweig, accompanied

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Lawrence Temple Names Rabbi

Rabbi Edward Portner is the new spiritual leader of Congregation Tifereth Anshai Sfard in Lawrence.

Portner, who received his early religious training in Antwerp, Belgium, and at religious schools in Philadelphia, Pa., took advanced Hebrew courses at the Jewish People's University in New York. He continued his religious training at the Theological Seminary of the Rabbinical College of Brooklyn, N.Y., where he was ordained.

Portner, a North Andover resident, is a cantor and was trained at the Settlement School of Music in Philadelphia, cantorial pedagogues in Philadelphia and New York and by the late cantor David Kusevitski.

Portner is a member of several professional organizations, among them Cantors Assembly of America and Cantorial Council of America.

He taught a course in Judaica at Eisenhower College in Seneca Falls, N.Y., and was the Jewish chaplain. He was also Jewish chaplain at Hobart-William Smith College in upstate New York, where he received the Elizabeth Blackwell Memorial Award from the college for activities in community affairs.

The High Holy Days season this year begins with the eve of Rosh Hashana taking place Sunday, Sept. 11. Services begin at 6:45 p.m. First day Rosh Hashanah service is Monday, Sept. 12, at 9 a.m. and 6:45 p.m.; second day, Sept. 13 at 9 a.m. These two days are included in the count of 10 days of penitence leading to the holiest day of the Jewish calendar, Yom Kippur. This day begins at sundown on Tuesday, Sept. 20, and continues during the whole day Wednesday, Sept. 21. Yom Kippur is a day of fasting, penitence and prayer.

Services

Andover Jewish Fellowship extends an invitation to the Greater Lawrence community to join in the celebration of Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur.

Services will be held at the Unitarian Universalist Church, 6 Locke St. Rosh Hoshanah services will be held Monday, Sept. 12, starting at 10 a.m. and Yom Kippur services on Wednesday, Sept. 21, starting at 10 a.m.

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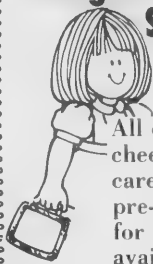
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The Unitarian Universalist Church of Andover, 6 Locke St., celebrates its "homecoming" worship service this Sunday at 10:30 a.m.

Children will worship with their parents for the first part of the service. The children's story will be "Andy and the Lion," a tale of kindness remembered. The children will then leave for a special children's program in the recently renovated religious education space.

The Rev. Rosemarie Smurzynski will preach on "Trails, Paths and Tracks: or What I Learned in the Enchanted Woods This Summer." Smurzynski said the sermon is "about sign posts that guide us on life's journey." It is the first of a two-part series on journeys and homecomings. The second sermon is about transformation and change.

Church school registration follows the service. Parents will have the opportunity to meet teachers and learn about curriculum.

Child care will be available.

South Rally Day

Rally Day at South Church, 41 Central St., begins at 9:15 a.m. Sunday. All ages will meet in the sanctuary to celebrate the beginning of the new Sunday school year. This year's theme is "We Are the Body of Christ."

Church Installs New Pastor

Ballard Vale United Church will celebrate the beginning of a new season on Sunday with the installation of their new pastor, Rev. Susan J. Morrison. Worship will be held at 10:30 a.m. Child care will be provided. Dick Darling, chairman of the pastor parish relations committee, will officiate during the installation service. Morrison will preach on "The Riches of Poverty" based on Mark 8:27-38.

A reception in Shaw Hall for Morrison, her husband, Jay, and their children, Nancy, Rebecca and Jeremy, will immediately follow the service.

First Baptist

The First Baptist Church, 1500 Andover St., Tewksbury, will host a special program Sunday at 9:30 a.m. beginning with coffee and pastries, followed by introduction of the Sunday school staff, a preview of curriculum and registration of pupils. A special dedication of teachers and pupils will be held during the 10:30 a.m. worship service.

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A brass quartet will be featured along with singalongs and a puppet show. Adults will meet in Fellowship Hall at 9:45 a.m., when the children go to their classrooms to hear about the adult education program for Sunday mornings. Adult class will commence Sept. 18 at 9:15 a.m.

The worship service will begin at 10:30 a.m. Child care for infants and children to 4 years old is available during the service. Children in kindergarten through fourth grade attend worship with their families, leaving the sanctuary for special activities just before the sermon.

A fellowship hour will follow the service.

Singers

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Rosh Hashana

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by the Temple Emanuel choir. Holly Perlman will be at the organ, accompanied by flutist Elaine Lewis.

The schedule of services is: Sunday (white ticket), 8:15 p.m.; Monday early service (yellow ticket), 8:45 to 11:15 a.m., late service (green ticket) noon to 2:30 p.m., chapel 8:15 p.m.; Tuesday, preliminary Shachrit (white ticket), 9:30 to 9:50 a.m.; morning service (white ticket), 10 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 16, Shabbat Shuva-Sabbath of Repentance 8:15 p.m.

Children's services are Monday and Tuesday mornings, and babysitting services are provided for pre-schoolers.

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MONDAY: 9:30 a.m. TWIGS (Today's Women in God's Service) All women of the community are welcome. Babysitting is provided; 7 p.m. Agoraphobics; 7:30 p.m. Diaconate, Board of Christian Education, Board of World Service, Fellowship Committee.

TUESDAY: 7 p.m. People Need People.

WEDNESDAY: 8:30 a.m. Men's Group; 7 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 73, Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship.

THURSDAY: 4 p.m. Carol Choir; 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir.

United Methodist

Ballard Vale United Church (United Methodist and United Church of Christ)
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Pastor

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OBITUARIES

THE TOWNSMAN, SEPTEMBER 8, 1988

Mildred J. Connell

Mildred J. (Lamond) Connell, 67, of Lawrence died Aug. 31, 1988, at Bon Secours Hospital.

Mrs. Connell was born in Lawrence and was a life resident. She was educated in Lawrence schools and was a 1939 graduate of Lawrence High School.

She was a member of St. Andrew Episcopal Church of Methuen.

Members of her family include her husband, Augustine J. "Gus" Connell; a son, Robert A. Connell of Jacksonville, Fla.; Margaret M. Baker of Methuen, Elizabeth O'Connell of Lawrence and Nancy Demers of Campton, N.H.; a brother, Andrew Lamond of Baltimore, Md.; sisters, Ruth Roberts of California, Barbara Connors of Andover and Louise Stevers of Florida; eight grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Saturday at Charles F. Dewhirst Funeral Home in Methuen. Burial was in Immaculate Conception Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Restoration Fund of St. Andrew Episcopal Church, 7 Messer Ave., Methuen.

Margaret Faris

Margaret (Asseff) Faris, 84, of Thunder Bay, Ontario, Canada, died Aug. 25, 1988, of cancer.

Mrs. Faris was born and educated in Thunder Bay.

She and her husband, the late Albert Faris, were yearly visitors to relatives in Lawrence. During those visits, she attended Mass at St. Anthony Church.

Members of her family include sons, Albert Faris of Niagara Falls, Ontario, Lawrence Faris of Brockville, Ontario, and Eugene Faris of Port Colborne, Ontario; brothers, Mounier Asseff of Thunder Bay and Chris Asseff of Toronto; a sister, Emmelien Debnam of Thunder Bay; nephews, George Faris of Andover and Bechir Faris of Lawrence; and a niece, Victoria Faris Kattar of Lawrence.

Friends and relatives are invited to a memorial Mass to be held Oct. 30 at 11 a.m. in St. Anthony Church, Lawrence.

Harold G. Taylor

Harold G. Taylor, 92, of Methuen, died Saturday, Sept. 3, 1988, at Lawrence General Hospital.

Mr. Taylor had worked as a harness looker in the weaving department of the Shawheen Mills in Andover and later worked at Kaps in Lawrence before his retirement 17 years ago.

Born in Lawrence, he lived in Andover before moving to Methuen 10 years ago. He was educated at Kimball Union Academy in New Hampshire, where he was a three-letter sportsman.

Mr. Taylor served as a private with the 3rd Cavalry of the U.S. Army during World War I, having served in France.

Members of his family include his wife, Irene (Harrison) Taylor; a brother, Gordon E. of Lawrence; a sister, Mrs. Grace McKay of Andover; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Funeral services were held Monday night at Charles F. Dewhirst Funeral Home. Burial will be at at later date in Elmwood Cemetery.

Kathryn R. White

Kathryn R. (Gildea) White, R.N., 82, of Tewksbury, died Friday, Sept. 2, 1988, at St. John Hospital, Lowell.

Mrs. White was a registered nurse and had worked in several hospitals in the Boston and Somerville area before her retirement.

Born in Lawrence, she had lived in Somerville before moving to Tewksbury five years ago.

She was the widow of John B. White, and members of her family include a daughter, Alberta La-Creta of Andover; a brother, James Gildea of Connecticut; and six grandchildren.

A Mass was celebrated Tuesday in St. Williams Church, Tewksbury. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery, Medford.

Andrew G. Reusch

Andrew G. Reusch, 90, of Methuen, died Sept. 4, 1988, at the Henry C. Nevins Home for the Aged.

Born in Lawrence, he lived in Methuen for the past 12 years. While he was a resident of Lawrence he attended the John R. Rollins grammar school and graduated from Lawrence High. He was an attendant of St. Laurence O'Toole Church which was formerly in Lawrence. He was employed as assistant superintendent for U.S. Bobbin-Shuttle Co. of Lawrence for many years.

His family members include a sister, Mrs. Irene M. Walsh of Andover, and many nieces and nephews.

A funeral Mass was celebrated Tuesday at Holy Trinity Church, Lawrence. Burial will be in Immaculate Conception Cemetery.

Mary C. McNeil

Mary C. (Jannell) McNeil, 65, of Groveland, died Sept. 5, 1988, at Hale Hospital.

Born in Amesbury, Mrs. McNeil had lived in Groveland for 28 years. She previously lived in Miami, Fla.

Mrs. McNeil attended St. Anne Church, West Newbury.

Members of her family include her husband, John D.; a son, John C. of Groveland; daughters, Mrs. William (Rose M.) Hall of St. Augustine, Fla., Mrs. Gregg (Alice) Kniss of Palmdale, Calif., Mrs. Charlene A. Keating of North Andover, Mrs. Anthony (Margaret) Lopez of Andover, Mrs. Daniel (Mary P.) Murphy of Dallas, Texas, Mrs. Joseph (Catherine) Bonin of Pease Air Force Base, Portsmouth, N.H., Mrs. Richard (Susan) Bilinsky of Little Lake, Mich., and Mrs. Stephen (Diana) King of Haverhill; a brother, John L. Harnois of West Newbury; 15 grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

A Mass will be celebrated today at 11 a.m. in St. Anne Church, West Newbury. Burial will be in Bridge Street Cemetery, West Newbury.

Memorial contributions may be made to Catholic Charities of America, Merrimack Valley Regional Office, 70 Lawrence St., Lowell, Mass. 01852.

Robert Mills Jr.,

Robert Mills Jr., 70, 63 River St., Andover, died Sept. 6, 1988, at Central Florida Hospital, Sanford, Fla.

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Born in North Andover, he was a long-time resident of Ballardvale and was employed by the Boston and Maine Railroad. He was a member of Andover Lodge of Elks.

Members of his family include his wife, Elizabeth A. (Smith) Mills; sons, Clark D. of Boston, Robert A. of Virginia Beach, Va., Henry E. and Cameron I., both of Andover, and John W., serving with the U.S. Navy in Delaware; a daughter Jessica A. Niec of Florida; a sister, Isabelle Brouck of Andover; brothers, Cameron Mills of Florida and Edward Thompson of Alexandria, Va.; six grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

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Water

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another several million, added Mahony.

Financially, Andover will be able to best afford another major capitol project by the 1990 town budget, speculated the town manager. The past six years have seen several massive projects, such as \$18 million in school improvements, plus a new water treatment plant, pumping station, library and old Town Hall renovations.

But, by 1992, Andover bond debt payments will drop from \$4.28 to \$2.73 million. Through interim financing, the town could start work two years before floating a bond issue.

Not soon enough, says Miller. "I admit (the project) does cost money and thank God I can afford (to install home water filters). But my concern is over what is happening to those not aware of what's in the water."

"If you're getting something like this," he said, pointing to the sludge-caked filter on his desk, "it has to be more than cosmetic."

Mahony adamantly maintains there are no health problems. "If there are any contaminants, we will be the first to do something."

Dr. Miller is not the only person complaining about water quality. Other citizens have spoken at Board of Selectmen meetings where Mahony has candidly admitted there is turbidity (cloudiness) in the water. But bacteria counts are safe, below state requirements, Mahony said.

The Board of Selectmen are ultimately responsible for initiating the project. Several studies, including scrutiny of water and sewer works, are underway that will help selectmen decide what priority to give water pipe replacement, said Mahony.

Fire Log

The following is a report of the activities of the Andover Fire Department from August 30-Sept. 4:

August 30 - 52 Crestwood Circle, medical assist; 21-23 Bartlet St., Fidelity House, faulty alarm; Lowell Street, Sheraton Rolling Green, pull station.

August 31 - 486 Lowell St., Walter Bacigalupo, motor vehicle accident; 11 Longwood Drive, medical assist.

Sept. 1 - 100 Minuteman Road, Digital, accidental alarm; Tech Drive, Prudential Tech, system trouble;

Chapel Avenue, Phillips Academy, accidental alarm; Stowe Court, Town of Andover, system trouble; Colonial Drive, investigation; 77 Main St., House of Clean, system trouble; Bartlet Street, Doherty Middle School, system trouble.

Sept. 2 - Merrimack College, Monican Center, smoke detector; Dascomb Road, Digital Corp., accidental alarm; 21 Theodore Avenue, Mary Brennan, investigation.

Sept. 3 - 310 Lowell St., Sheraton Rolling Green, kitchen fire; Off Filterbed Road, Jo-

seph Maroon, automobile fire; North Main Street at Harding Street, medical assist; South Street, David Kelley, automobile fire; Off Filterbed Road, William Bickford, automobile fire; Off Filterbed Road, unknown, automobile fire.

Sept. 4 - Bartlet Street, Doherty Middle School, smoke detector; Merrimack College, St. Ann's Dorm, trouble in system.

The fire department ambulance responded to 26 calls.

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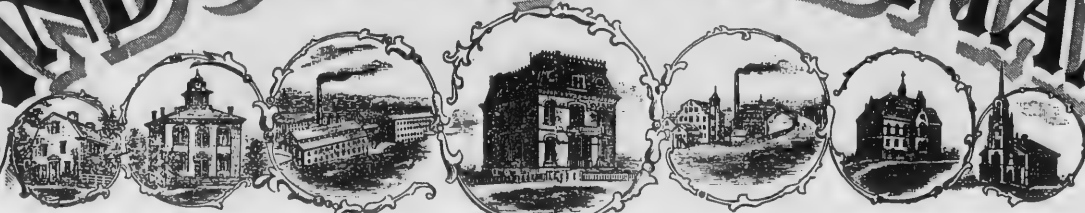
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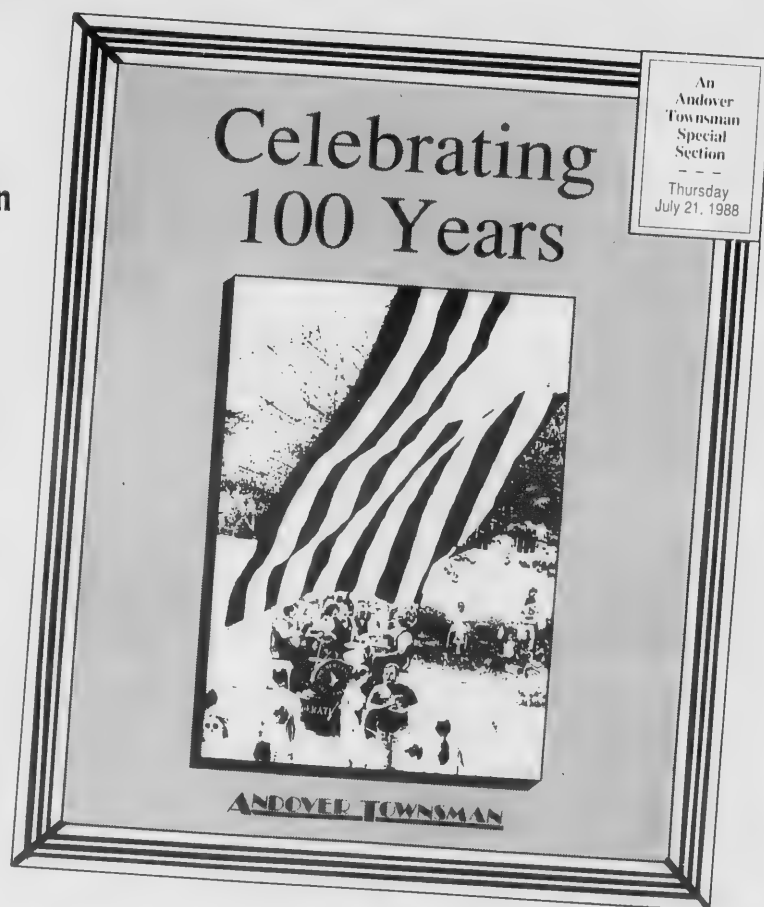
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Boot Drive



Townsmen photo by Matthew Sapientza

Firefighter Todd Pomerleau collects donations for the Muscular Dystrophy Association from motorists stopped at the traffic lights near Memorial Hall Library. The Fire Department raised \$5,514 in its annual drive this year.

Pipes Turn Filters Into 'Tootsie Rolls'

By Frank Messina

Pop quiz. What's long, rusty, makes Tootsie Rolls and is almost 100 years old?

Answer: many sections of Andover's antiquated water pipe system.

One man who knows all about Tootsie Rolls is local orthodontist, Dr. Edward Miller, who says he grows about four per week at home with the help of dirt and sediment flowing through Andover's water supply. About 15 years ago, Miller, who lives on Sunset Rock Road, noticed his swimming pool water growing darker and installed a filter system to trap impurities.

What he wound up with was a Tootsie Roll maker. But, "I don't think you'd want to eat this," said Miller, holding up a plastic bag containing a soggy filter more the color of black licorice than chocolate candy.

Nobody disputes that Andover needs a new water system in several sections of town. The century-old pipes are encrusted inside with built-up rust and sediment. During summer, when water use peaks, the

increased flow of water breaks off the debris in small particles and clouds Andover's drinking water.

Town officials say the water is tested constantly and no health danger exists, but admit the system badly needs replacing. The question many townspeople have been raising in recent years is, when?

The delay has been over money. Town Manager Kenneth Mahony estimates installation would cost about \$17.8 million.

And the work wouldn't be as simple as replacing water lines, said Mahony, because much of the town sewer system also needs work.

"It doesn't make sense to tear out the ground, pave it over, then go back later and do the same thing to replace sewer lines," Mahony said.

New sewer lines would run approximately \$9 million and roadwork another \$4 million, he said. If the town installed storm drains as well, the job would cost

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Rail Schedule In Error

By Frank Messina

A schedule of alternative rail times for bus riders whose midday Andover/Boston service was eliminated last week, has been found to be in error.

A flyer distributed last week to Merrimac Transportation Co. commuters listed several Boston-to-Lawrence routes that actually travel no closer than Reading, 10 miles south of Andover.

Also, the Merrimac Co. brochure fails to specify that the last two afternoon trains into Boston are "flag-down" runs, which require people waiting at the Andover station to signal train engineers to make a stop.

The erroneous information was included in a pamphlet handed out on buses last week to notify passengers that Merrimack intended to cut out midday service during the week and all Sunday lines.

The misleading Reading times are printed as 11:20 a.m.; 2:20, 6:45, 7:15 and 10:35 p.m. The correct times for Boston/Andover trains are 6:50, 8:50 and 10:35 a.m.; 1:20, 4:30, 5:15, 6:05, 8:15 and 11:59 p.m.

The two Andover-to-Boston "flag-down" runs are at 3:04 and 6:14 p.m.

Co-owner Steve Caplan said last week declining ridership forced the bus company to reduce service. Even with state subsidies of \$204,000 per year, the firm was losing money, he said.

Neither Caplan or his partner, Tom Scanlan, could be

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Bread And Roses Celebrates Women's Contribution



A singing group called On the Line was among 100 entertainers who brought their songs, dances and stories to the annual Bread and

Roses festival Monday. The 24-member group got its start three years ago. They sang almost everything a cappella.



A member of the dancing and musical troupe Elie Najjar and Ensemble videotapes other Bread and Roses festivities. There was a lot to

see, with 100 entertainers and about 25,000 fairgoers. Najjar's dancers adopt a medley of styles from Greece, Armenia and Lebanon.



An Elie Najjar and Ensemble member entertains fairgoers with a Middle-Eastern dance.

Townsmen photos by Matthew Sapienza



Marcia Taylor, center, warms up with two backup musicians. Taylor, who is from Somerville, says her work consists of "songs of women's lives." The fair's theme this year was "the rising of the women is the rising of us all."



Mary-Kathryn Middlemiss and Amy Carboneau take a snack break. Ethnic dishes were in abundance at the fourth annual fair. In the background are Ashley Carboneau, far left, and Billy Middlemiss.



Social activists like these anti-apartheid demonstrators sought support for their causes at the Bread and Roses festival, which takes its name from the 1912 strike against unfair labor practices.



Ruth Dornfeld and Leah Weiss are members of the Poodles, a Boston-based string band. The Poodles played a variety of music—from bluegrass to Hungarian fiddle music.

OPINION

THE TOWNSMAN, SEPTEMBER 8, 1988

Transit Trouble

Getting from here to Boston is about to get more difficult.

And, for many people, it represents a rather serious problem.

As of Monday, commuter bus service will be severely curtailed.

Train transportation is fair but, at best, inconvenient.

Traveling to and from the Hub by car is both nerve-wracking and difficult.

Yet, hundreds upon hundreds of people from Andover and this general vicinity rely on some sort of public transit to get them to and from Boston for their livelihood. Forget the days when residents from this area could depend on some sort of mass transit facility, whether it was bus or train, to get them to Boston for social or entertainment possibilities.

As of Monday, some buses will continue to run through the peak 'rush hours' in the morning and evening.

Other than that, residents of this area will have to resort to either train or car.

Trains, operated through the Merrimack Valley Regional Transit Authority (MVRTA) and the Mass. Bay Transportation Authority (MBTA) run during the peak commuter periods and at a few off-hour times.

The Merrimack Transportation Co., which currently operates the bus service to and from Boston, distributed train schedules to patrons when it announced its new schedule. But, many of those trains end in Reading which makes for a long walk to Andover, or a difficult ride to that community and then a battle to find a parking space.

Merrimack Transportation, which has run the bus service for the past several years, has had a difficult time. Equipment, at times, has been bad. Schedules, on occasion, weren't met.

But, it was an alternative to escaping from the clutches of the MBTA, which would result in

considerable expense to the taxpayers of this community as well as those nearby if compelled to subscribe to the sprawling mass transit system which operates aimlessly and then passes the cost on to those communities who must use the service.

The problem of providing some sort of transit service to people of this area who are compelled by occupation to be in Boston daily is a serious one and imminent in view of the curtailment of bus transportation.

But, even more important than the imminence of the problem is the long term effect.

Already underway is a major construction project in Boston and environs, dedicated to such things as expressway and bridge improvements, depressing of the central artery, building of a third harbor tunnel, etc., which will have a crippling effect on getting into and around Boston for several years.

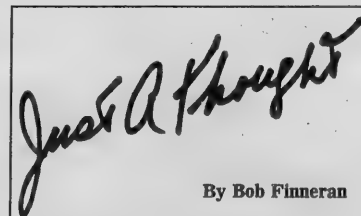
And, no one in the legislature seems to be interested in turning their attention to what is a vital concern.

Sure, Andover residents and others from this area face commuter problems, which, by the way could be attended to by some of our legislators.

But, there is apparently no serious concern about those problems on the immediate horizon which will absolutely choke the city during the peak commuter hours in the very near future.

There is a possibility that some of the current commuters, who will have to adjust their already strained schedules to get to work in Boston due to the curtailed Boston bus schedule, can manage despite the inconvenience.

But isn't it about time someone in authority moved toward resolving the more important issue of providing a good mass transit system, not only to meet present needs, but to respond to the crisis which is about to happen with the multi-year highway improvement projects planned for the Boston area?



By Bob Finneran

Just when it seems the world is getting to be a little better place, comes word that there is still problem people to deal with.

Heard about a blind woman who visits on almost a daily basis a couple eating establishments in a nearby community with her seeing-eye dog.



Last week both places were closed at the appointed shortly after noon hour when she arrived by Wee-Bus.

The dog took her to an alternative eating establishment not too distant and the woman hesitated to enter. A couple of workers from a nearby computer company

went to assist. The woman told of her plight with the two restaurants being closed and she did not know whether the dog was leading her into someone's house.

Informed that, indeed, the dog had led her to an eating establishment, she entered only to be told to get the dog out of there.

She told the owner that she was blind and the canine was a seeing-eye dog, to which the owner replied he didn't care and to get the dog out of the shop.

She went to another place for her daily eating pleasure.

Give the dog credit for knowing what to do and for finding an eating spot.

Check off the restaurant owner who refused the woman entrance.

The canine is obviously more intelligent.

A couple of thoughts before assigning Williamsport to the pleasant memories book.

Anyone visiting the area should stop at the Hotel Katz and see the model train collection there.

Went there on the advice of a Pennsylvania state trooper at the Little League ball park.

The hotel has been in the Katz family for over a century with the continuous family hobby of train collecting continuing today.

On view in one room are display cases of virtually hundreds of model trains and accompanying parts.

In another room is a display of working models displayed on three tiers with a couple of additional sets in the center. There were about a dozen running at the same time when we visited.

And, to cap off the display in the upstairs bar are two large size model trains suspended from the ceiling operating with lights and whistles around the perimeter.

The only admission is voluntary, a mail box with slot at the doorway to the display cases advising donations, 'If you wish, absolutely not necessary.'

The Williamsport group was hosting a group from Connecticut and they just strummed and sang all night long with banjos, fiddles, all sorts of gadgets and some people specializing in the stump fiddle which has more contraptions attached to a stick than a tree full of apples.

Kind of a fun time for all.

DOWN THE YEARS

100 Years Ago — September 1888

Mr. H.A. Bodwell having declined reelection as Chairman of the Town Committee, J. Newton Cole was chosen in his place; the other members are as before.

Two propositions were discussed at the Republican Club meeting — to form a torch light battalion, and a campaign glee-club.

Miss Annie Woodworth is to teach in Halifax, Mass.

We are very glad to announce that the new maps of Andover, for which provision was made at the March meeting, have been received by the town clerk.

It is a frosty Friday morning. Crowds of cheerful children are on their way to school, each stopping to "take one" from the pile of slates on the sidewalk in front of the Andover Bookstore. Principal Baldwin reports Punchard as follows: old pupils, 37; new pupils entering upper classes, 2; entering class, 19; total, 58.

Mr. James M. Craig, janitor of the public Reading Room, reports the numbers of visitors for the month of August to have been 878.

At the Selectmen's meeting on Tuesday, two bids were received for constructing the Ballardvale road, but were not accepted, the terms of both exceeding the appropriation of the town.

It is said that a man living near the Junction snared over 200 partridges last fall. Now this was strictly according to the law. But it is enough to convince anyone who knows anything about it, that the statute permitting landowners to snare partridges on their own land was an unwise measure.

Probably the largest party of the season was at the grove Labor Day.

75 Years Ago — September 1913

The work of digging the canal between the Shawsheen river and Pumps Pond has been partially completed, so that the first boat was able to pass through on Monday morning.

Frederick Cheever has given up his duties in the office of the Tyer Rubber Company, where he has been employed for several years, and is now working for The Converse Rubber Shoe Company.

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THE PUBLIC FORUM

THE TOWNSMAN, SEPTEMBER 8, 1988

A Tribute

From my armchair I followed with glee. Your athletic prowess, what a joy to see Andover youth, with such determination You journeyed to Little League's ultimate destination.

In Williamstown, though giving your all, A World Championship to you would not fall; But you pressed on, if I hear it right, Playing your game, what a wonderful sight.

Be joyful, celebrate Andover National All-Stars, Your innate perserverance took you far; Thanks for pleasure I derived from you, Your manager, your coaches and your parents too!

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Memories Of Mr. Reed

To The Editor Of The TOWNSMAN:

If you attended Punchard/Andover High School during the middle and late '50s, you knew George "Turk" Reed who died on August 29. In high school he was known as "Turk," but in later years he was called George.

The nickname was, of course, related to the Reed family business in West Andover, Reed's Turkey Farm. But, to those of us who played football, it described the way George played football. He was a nonsense running back who could either run you over or quickly step around you. "Turk" was also a superb defensive player who punished opposing ball carriers with his tackling. I can honestly say he was one of the most versatile athletes I had the privilege with which to play in either high school or college.

"Turk" played well enough during his sophomore and junior years to be elected co-captain as a senior. In addition to football, he also played basketball, baseball and ran track, earning four letters.

I left Andover for college and law school in the late '50s and lost contact with him until years later when I returned to town. I renewed my high school friendship with "Turk," now called George, and soon noticed that he had changed little, except for a loss of hair. He was still quiet and reserved and tended to conserve his conversation. He had married Moira Sullivan, his high school girlfriend, and they had raised four fine children, Mark, Carol, David and Ray. The nickname "Turk" had long ago been left in the high school locker room and he was called George by family and friends. I would frequently refer to him as "Turk" during conversations; he enjoyed this and a slight smile would cross his face and he would nod in recognition. I am sure it brought back memories of his exploits on the playing fields in Andover.

I will miss George "Turk" Reed and I know his old high school teammates join me not only in these memories, but also in expressing to Moira, his children and family our deepest sympathies.

Charles F. Dalton, Jr.

Excellent Coverage

To The Editor Of The TOWNSMAN:

As president of the Andover Little League, let me begin by apologizing for the oversight last Sunday at the "Welcome Home of the Little League Team." Quite frankly, I was amazed at the turnout and show of appreciation by the people in town. It was gratifying and I erred.

On behalf of all, we greatly appreciate the excellent coverage and support you and the TOWNSMAN provided during this historic and exciting time. Your presence and support in Williamsport is the best example of your interest.

Further, your two editorials on the opinion page are a magnificent gesture. Your perspectives on the implication to the community were quite thoughtful.

Once again, thank you for the comprehensive coverage and support. Continued future successes.

Bill Novelline
President
Andover Little League

Schedule

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reached for comment concerning the schedule mix-up.

A Merrimack Valley Regional Transit Authority official said the MVRTA advisory board will consider filling the transit void at their Sept. 15 meeting.

"We're not sure whether we can do it or whether people even want us" to take over midday service to Boston, said Joseph Constanzo, MVRTA administrator.

Currently, the MVRTA limits operations to the Merrimack Valley. Constanza said he wasn't sure the MVRTA could absorb part of a route already serviced by a private company.

Town Manager Kenneth Mahony, an MVRTA board member, said he would wait until hearing from MVRTA traffic experts before deciding whether to support adding Andover/Boston bus runs.

"I'm for making it convenient to get into Boston," he said. "But the economics have to be considered."

Mahony added he would look into sending the town shuttle bus into the Andover station if more people begin using midday rail service.

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Singin' in the Rain, probably the most popular screen musical of all time, will be shown Sept. 15-17 at 7:30 p.m. at Ioka in downtown Exeter, N.H.

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WEDNESDAY: Roast turkey w/brown gravy, whipped potato w/gravy, sliced carrots, bread and butter, chocolate cake w/frosting, milk. or Ham and cheese sandwich, sliced sliced carrots, potato chips, chocolate cake w/frosting, milk.

THURSDAY: In-service Day. No lunch.

FRIDAY: Tuna salad sandwich,

peas, French fries, catsup, peanut butter cookie, milk. or Meatball sub w/tomato sauce, peas, French fries, catsup, peanut butter cookie, milk.

Junior Highs

MONDAY: Hot dog on roll, baked beans, mustard, relish, catsup, potato chips, pears, milk. or Turkey sub w/lettuce, tomato, baked beans, potato chips, pears, milk.

TUESDAY: Cheese pizza, mixed vegetables, cheese chunks, fruit cocktail, milk. or Bologna and cheese sub, mixed vegetables, potato sticks, fruit cocktail, milk.

WEDNESDAY: Hamburger or cheeseburger on roll, catsup, sliced carrots, potato puffs, chocolate cake w/frosting, milk. or Veal cutlet sub w/tomato sauce, sliced carrots, potato puffs, catsup, chocolate cake w/frosting, milk.

THURSDAY: In-service Day. No lunch.

FRIDAY: Fish nuggets w/catsup, tartar sauce, French fries, green peas, bread and butter, peanut butter cookie, milk. or Meatball sub w/tomato sauce, green peas, French fries, catsup, peanut butter cookie, milk.

Senior Citizen

MONDAY: Pork chop w/gravy, potato, vegetable, bread and butter, dessert, beverage.

TUESDAY: Stuffed cabbage, potato, vegetable, bread and butter, dessert, beverage.

WEDNESDAY: Steak w/gravy, potato, vegetable, bread and butter, dessert, beverage.

THURSDAY: Election Day. No lunch served.

FRIDAY: Cup of chowder, Tuna salad sandwich, vegetable, dessert, beverage.

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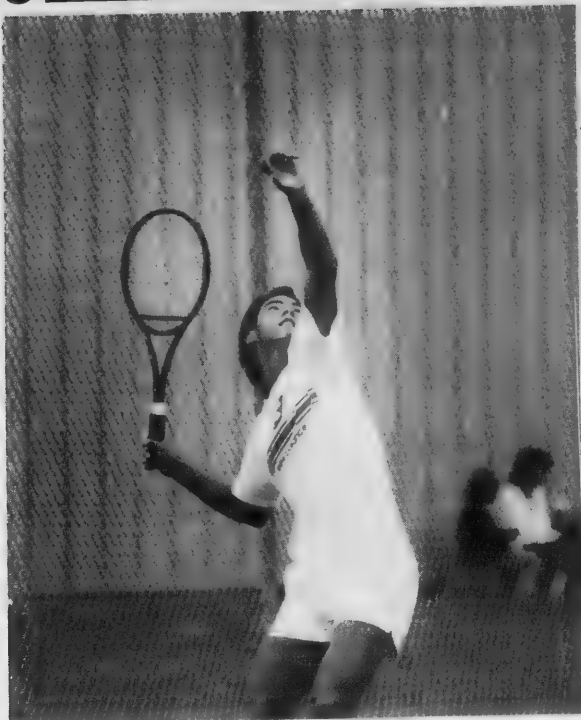
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Jeff Chiang displays winning form during Essex County Tennis Tourney over this past weekend.

Chiang Takes Net Title

Jeff Chiang of 5 Bradley Road, Andover, won the men's singles and doubles in the 85th anniversary Essex County tennis championships at the Willows Racquet Club, 815 Turnpike St., North Andover, over Labor Day weekend.

He won the singles over former Andover resident Chris Post, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Post of 9 Beech Circle, 6-1, 6-4.

The new champion, a junior at Columbia in New York City, is competing in the men's divisions for the first year, having been ranked as New England's co-number two 18-and-under age group based on 1987 tournament competitions. His style of play is to blast anything and everything with an overspin forehand, a two-handed backhand and an atomic overhead from any position in the court. His timing is superb on every shot which allows him to wrist snap on contact to give his forehand greatly increased pace.

It was a well deserved victory as Post, playing for the 15th straight year, won in 1979, 1982 and 1985 and was runnerup this year for the seventh time.

G. Warren Patterson of Cheever Circle played his usual excellent game in a losing cause against Tim Porter of Dover, N.H.

Singles competitors included one player from Connecticut, three from Maine, three from New Hampshire, three from North Andover and the remainder of the 28 from various parts of Massachusetts.

Chiang also partnered John Niceforo of North Andover with a very convincing final round 6-3, 6-3 victory over the Wellesley team of Jay Lubker and Warren Avery. It is the first time in 26 years a player has won both the singles and doubles. Tom Raleigh of Winchester was the last to accomplish this feat in 1962.

Warriors Will Continue To Fill The Air With Footballs

by Rick Harrison

For the past three decades, under the leadership of veteran coach Dick Collins, Andover High football teams have become reknown for their prowess through the airwaves.

The upcoming 1988 season, which begins Friday night, Sept. 16 on the road against defending Eastern Mass. Division 2 Super Bowl champion Chelmsford High, promises to be another where the pass reigns supreme.

Collins feels he has the throwers and receivers to get the job done, and if both the offensive and defensive lines can be successfully reconstructed the Golden Warriors appear en route to their 26th winning season in the last 27 years.

Andover was a legitimate Super Bowl contender for eight weeks last fall, building a 7-1 record before consecutive losses to Division 3 Bowl hopeful North Andover and Thanksgiving Day archrival Central Catholic by 15-14 and 7-0 scores destroyed the dream.

The first of those games was played in bitter cold and the second in a drenching rain.

The Golden Warriors graduated all but two offensive and four defensive starters from that 1987 talented club.

But coaches are now fond of saying they are "re-loading rather than re-building," and Collins' staff is currently filling the AHS gun with some pretty impressive shells.

Personnel

Key graduates from 1987's near-miss squad were the devastating passing combination of quarterback Brandon McCue (Phillips Academy) and wide receiver John Perry (UNH), along with top running backs Devon Arsenault (Mt. Hermon) and Rick Lafond (Salem State), and linemen Mike Marinaro (Boston College), Mark Duncan (URI), Steve D'Urso (UMass) and Craig Buscema (Rochester Tech).

McCue tied for the Eastern Mass. Division 2 lead in touchdown passes with 14, while Perry caught 12 scoring tosses and finished with 86 points and 117 career receptions at AHS.

Perry and Marinaro both received four-year football scholarships and played in the Shriners All-Star Classic at BC this summer, while Duncan was selected to participate in the annual Harry Agganis Classic at Lynn's Manning Bowl.

The Golden Warriors attracted 80 candidates to the first day of pre-season training camp Aug. 24.

The lone returning starters on offense are senior fullback and Quad-Capt. Paul DeMarco (6-0, 212 pounds), and senior center and Quad-Capt. Stefan Kelly (6-2, 230).

Those two also double on defense, DeMarco at middle linebacker and Hefty at middle guard.

Other veterans on that side of the ball

are senior cornerback and Quad-Capt. Steve Surette (5-9, 150), and junior cornerback John Thompson (6-3, 175).

Surette is also a leading candidate to succeed McCue as quarterback, while Thompson is a top-notch flankerback.

Battling for positions in the interior line are senior guard and Quad-Capt. Tom Benachietti (5-9, 165), senior tackle Dan Ferris (6-2, 232), junior tackle Matt Moynihan (6-0, 200), senior guard Andy Arnott (5-11, 200), junior guard Paul Lembo (5-10, 185) and junior guard Glenn Driscoll (5-11, 185).

Frontrunners at offensive end are senior Jack Dalton (6-2, 183) and junior Brian Donnelan (6-0, 183), and expected to join DeMarco in the backfield are senior halfback Chris McAnally (6-0, 185), senior fullback Chris Adams (6-0, 180) and junior speedster Jeff Ring (5-11, 185).

Most of these same players are vying for defensive positions as well, while other gridders who have impressed in early workouts on defense include junior line-backer Dave Tucker (6-0, 190), junior cornerback Peter Reming (5-9, 155) and senior cornerback Steve McSweeney (5-7, 150).

Senior Kurt Brucato (5-11, 170) is among those pressing Surette for the starting QB spot, and Brucato also is a possible at defensive back.

Senior Dave Perri (5-8, 155) is another versatile performer working out at full-back and center.

Senior Andy Weiner (6-1, 175) did the placekicking last fall, while Surette did the punting.

Receivers Strong

"We have a lot of balance among our receivers," confirmed Collins, referring in particular to Thompson, Dalton, Donnelan and each of the running backs.

"We can throw to almost anyone in that group, and their backups have also looked good."

"The kicking game should be solid with our placekicker, punter and punt-snapper (Perri) returning," continued Collins. "We have good size in the offensive backfield and excellent overall team speed."

"Defensively our linebackers (led by DeMarco, Benachietti and Tucker) look good."

"The No. 1 priority we're facing in the pre-season is to put together a strong offensive and defensive line. Of course it helps to have a fine football player like (Stefan) Kelly as the anchor."

Scrimmages

The Golden Warriors had two good workouts last Saturday, scrimmaging visiting Marlboro High in the late-morning and Greater-Lowell Regional of Tyngsboro in the afternoon.

Marlboro is a traditional Central Mass. Division 1 powerhouse, the Midland League member winning a Super Bowl

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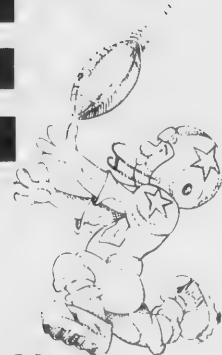
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Varsity Swimmers Look Strong

With returning lettermen and a promising crop of freshmen, the Andover High School girls' varsity swim team looks strong to repeat as Merrimack Valley Conference champions.

Head Coach Patty Barrett and assistant, Abby Robb, are looking for strong performances from senior Amy Van Aken, a double sectional champ in the 100 yard butterfly and the 400 yard freestyle relay with junior Tracey Pool and Erika Suduiko, both sectional finalists in freestyle. All three finalized at the state championships, Van Aken in the 500 free and with Pool and Suduiko in the 400 free relay.

Senior co-captains Lisa Fox and Laura Ghirardini will provide strength in many events with Fox handling freestyle over all distances and Ghirardini competing in freestyle sprints, butterfly and backstroke. Sophomore Kristen Hubbel is also a strong freestyle/backstroker and the three are sectional qualifiers and competed in states.

Pam Boucher will contribute her skills in the butterfly and distance freestyle events where she was a sectional qualifier while seniors Kate Robb and Karen Pedersen and freshman Michelle McCarthy will share breaststroke duties with juniors Brynn McGovern and Monica Davis. All five double in the individual medley with McCarthy and Pedersen handling freestyle and Robb, butterfly events.

One of Andover's strong points has been depth. Heading that group are Eszter Vajda, distance freestyle; Allyson Bates, backstroke and freestyle; Ellen Cohen and Eliza Tilghman, freestyle and breaststroke, and Debbie Brendle, Kristen Alberich, Heather Reghitto and Kristen Schmuhl, freestyle.

Sophomore Mia Kearings, an MVC championship finalist, along with DeeDee Castignoli and Janet Han, head a strong diving contingent and are backed by a powerful squad of newcomers.

Andover tests its skills tomorrow at the Merrimack Valley Conference Relay Carnival at Haverhill High School. Last season the Golden Warrior Wave won five of the 11 contested events, placed second in one, third in three and fourth in two.

The relay carnival begins at 8:30 p.m. and the public is invited.

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Warriors

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championship in 1979 and then qualifying but losing in 1980.

Greater Lowell is a perennial Eastern Mass. Division 5 contender and won the Bowl in 1986.

"We were quite pleased with Surette's performance and the overall play of the defense in the first scrimmage (Marlboro)," noted Collins.

"We have six kids working out at quarterback. All have potential and all played in one of the two scrimmages.

"Marlboro's only touchdown came on an intercepted pass, so we did a very good job. Thompson also looked very good, as did Jeff Ring in the Greater Lowell scrimmage."

Ring was one of the top sprinters in the Merrimack Valley Conference during the winter and spring track seasons last year.

Since Andover competes several levels higher than Greater Lowell, Collins holds out most of his top players in that annual scrimmage.

"We kept 17 kids out this year. That way it becomes a good, competitive workout for both teams," noted the coach.

The Warriors also faced Dracut in a passing scrimmage last Thursday, met Dual County League power Bedford (8-1-1 last fall) yesterday, and wrap up the scrimmage schedule this Saturday against Bay State League representative Wellesley High.

Assistant Coaches

The Andover staff has undergone almost a total reorganization over the past few years.

Longtime assistants Dick Bourdelais, Bill Vickers and George Sullivan have left, Bourdelais to become athletic director, Vickers to pursue private business interests, and most recently Sullivan to coach the girls' volleyball team.

The current staff boasts Dave Betten-court, who acts as defensive coordinator and works with the offensive line, Justin

DeMarco (offensive backs), Tom Kenney (linemen), Peter Comeau (ends), Bob Fitzgerald (assistant defensive coordinator and linebackers), Mark Ciccarelli (defensive backs) and Jim Hurley (head freshman and scouting).

Volunteer assistants are Joe Iarrobino (defensive line) and Peter Reilly (special teams).

Record

Collins is the co-dean of Merrimack Valley Conference coaches, although Ed Murphy of Dracut is setting longevity records every season as he enters his 43rd year.

"I think they'll have to dynamite Eddie and myself to get us out of here," jokes Collins.

Collins has 26 winning seasons in 29 years, a sparkling 164-90-13 overall record, five league titles (four undisputed, one shared with Dracut), three consecutive Eastern Mass. Division 2 Super Bowl appearances in 1973-74-75, and two EMass. titles in '74 and '75.

Andover strung together a 40-game undefeated streak (39-0-1) during the Super years, and the Bowl wins came over Salem (21-20 in overtime) and Plymouth-Carver (7-3).

Schedule

The Golden Warriors have just four home games this fall, three of them on Friday night and the fourth Thanksgiving morning against Central Catholic.

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ANDOVER HOCKEY ASSOCIATION



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SEPTEMBER 8th - WEST MIDDLE SCHOOL - 6-9 P.M.

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	Fri., 9/16	5-6 p.m.	Wilmington
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	Weds., 9/14	5:15-6:15 p.m.	Wilmington
PEWEEES	Sat., 9/10	1-2 p.m.	Janas
	Tues., 9/13	5-6 p.m.	Wilmington
BANTAM	Sat., 9/10	8-9 p.m.	Janas
	Mon., 9/12	8:15-9:15 p.m.	Wilmington
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Little Leaguers Still In National Focus

The sixth-in-the-world Andover National Little League All-Stars made it to the pages of the most esteemed sports publication in the nation, "Sports Illustrated," when they were a featured part of a two-page article on the Little League World Series in the Sept. 5 issue.

The story by SI staff reporter Austin Murphy focused on the champion Taiwan team, but also included three references to the Nationals and manager Jim Arnold.

"Since 1969," wrote Murphy midway through the piece, "teams from Taiwan have won this tournament 12 times, and after Tuesday morning, Jim Arnold had a pretty good inkling it would soon be 13."

"Arnold, manager of the Andover, Mass. team that had won the Eastern Region, awoke at the crack of dawn. 'I go outside,' he said, 'and what do I see but the Taiwanese doing conditioning drills — he (manager Lai Tayuan) has got 'em sprinting up hills.'"

Later, after describing a play from the final game when Taiwan routed Bean Supper

West Parish Church, 129 Reservation Road, Andover, will host a ham and bean supper Saturday, Sept. 10, starting at 5 p.m. with continuous serving until 7 p.m. Tickets may be purchased at the door. The public is welcome.

The supper will be prepared by Harold Tynning and served by church members.

Disc jockey Dan Sciuto will play requests during the supper.

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Patricia Arrajj of Lawrence has been named Bon Secours Hospital's "Employee of the Month" for September. She works as a nursing assistant on the maternity unit. Her duties include assisting nursing personnel in providing patient care.

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Pearl City, Hawaii 10-0, Murphy again quotes Arnold.

"He (Taiwan catcher Lee Chiachi) didn't even look for a signal (on a tagup play from third base)," marveled Arnold. "He was tagging all the way. In that situation, that is what they are taught to do. And it took a perfect throw to get him. That's how far ahead of everyone else they are."

And finally, towards the end of the article, Murphy observes that "the Hawaiians, regarded by most as the third-best U.S. team in Williamsport behind Andover and Spring, Texas ..."

The Andover National players and coaches were also guests of KISS-FM radio last week, and were on WCCM's Saturday morning sports talk show for 75 minutes fielding questions and recounting their experiences in Pennsylvania.

Several other functions, including a team banquet at a local restaurant, are still on tap as the beat goes on for Andover's world class kids.

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Soccer Team Has Been Consistently Successful

By Rick Harrison

Which major Andover High varsity sport has been the most consistently successful since 1980?

Move to the head of the class if you said boys' soccer.

Coach Dave Amundsen's booters have won the Merrimack Valley Conference Large School Division championship six of the last seven years, and have qualified for the Eastern Mass. Division 1 Tournament seven straight times.

Amundsen has been the only coach in the history of the sport at AHS, directing the Golden Warriors to 12 straight winning seasons, eight tournaments overall, and several second place finishes behind early MVC powers Billerica and Wilmington.

Amundsen, who chalked up his 100th career coaching victory in 1986, feels he has another potential title-winning team currently working out in preparation for the season opener at home on Thursday night, Sept. 15 against Chelmsford (7 p.m. at Lovely Field).

Last fall Andover took it down to the final day of the regular season before clinching the Large School Division championship by one point with a dramatic 3-1 victory over Billerica.

The Warriors, 14-4-3 overall, then defeated Greater-Lowell Regional (2-0) and Beverly (3-1) in the Division 1 North Tournament before dropping a 1-0 overtime decision to Middlesex League power Wakefield High in the semifinal round.

That was AHS' second best post-season performance, the 1985 squad battling to the Division 1 North final before bowing 2-1 to Lexington of the Middlesex League.

Amundsen and junior varsity coach Mike Wartman have been putting 60 candidates through their paces since the first day of practice (Aug. 29).

Key graduates from last year's first place crew included forward Steve Napolitano, now attending Assumption College in Worcester, high-scoring forward Tom Ciolfi (Tufts), defenseman Tim Hagerty (St. Anselm's) and goaltender Rob Stoltz (Syracuse).

Personnel

The Golden Warriors have three returning starters from the '87 team, senior forward and Capt. Peter Kannam, senior midfielder Eric Jones and junior defenseman Chuck Jessico.

All three veterans are two-year varsity performers, and Amundsen feels Jones is the premiere midfielder in the Conference this fall.

Other regulars who saw considerable varsity exposure last year are senior goaltender Eric Hammond, senior forward-halfback Matt Pothier, senior defenseman Jim Spinelli, senior forward-midfielder Mark Angelos and senior forward Bob Hughes.

Hammond posted a 3-1-0 record as backup to Stoltz last season, Pothier's time was slightly reduced by recurring ankle problems that seem to have been corrected, and Spinelli will shift from midfield to defense this fall.

Angelos stepped in as a starter in tournament play after Tim Hagerty sustained a broken nose, and Hughes saw enough service in '87 to score a couple varsity goals.

Junior midfielder-forward Matt McVicar also split his time between the varsity and JV squads, while moving up from Wartman's undefeated MVC junior varsity title team are junior defender Kevin Murphy, senior defender Dave Manning and junior midfielder John Mattola.

Murphy is projected as the Golden Warriors' stopper or sweeper, while Mattola has already shown excellent leadership qualities as captain of the JV aggregation last fall.

Also displaying much promise during the first 10 days of pre-season practice have been senior wing Scott Clementi, junior goaltenders Dave Carriere and Mike Sintros, senior defender Justin Perlino and senior midfielder Mark Leinson.

"Both Sintros and Carriere are also strong field players," noted Amundsen, "while Perlino transferred to Andover from New York."

Good Passers

"We hope to have our best passing team ever," stated Amundsen. "This group has excellent soccer skills and a lot of speed."

"We don't have the kind of physical size we've had in the past, and right now our biggest problem is finishing off plays near the net. We play very well from midfield to forward, but we're still trying to develop our scoring touch."

Through the years the Golden Warriors have boasted a number of outstanding scorers, among them two-time Conference point king Steve Carbone, Dave Keene, "oldtimer" Dave Farrell and 1986 graduate Chris Sapuppo.

"I don't think we'll run away with the Large School title, but I feel confident we'll be in contention," said Amundsen.

"I believe the league will again be tightly-bunched and well-balanced. The soccer skills in all towns have improved vastly over the last few years, and kids from each of the schools are making a stronger commitment to the sport year-round."

"Naturally we'd like to see our string of championships continue, but there will be 3-4 other teams pressing us all the way."

"I'm sure opposing schools look at us and say 'here comes Andover, let's go get them' because of what we've done the past five or six years," continued Amundsen. "That has to be a big motivational factor for them."

"But it can work to our advantage, too. There's nothing we can do about everyone getting fired up to play us. Believe me I'd rather be on this end of the situation than the other end."

League and Schedule

Amundsen launches his lucky 13th season with visions of Billerica, Tewksbury, Dracut, Chelmsford and Lowell all being solid contenders.

"Billerica is a traditional power," he noted. "They lost some good players but also have a lot coming back."

"Tewksbury is always tough, but Dracut (third-year team) was very good last year and should battle (Tewksbury) for the Small School title."

"Lowell has qualified for the tournament four or five straight times, and has several good midfielders returning."

"Chelmsford has a new coach and I don't know quite what to expect from them."

Andover, which outplayed and outscored Austin Prep (2-1) in its opening scrimmage and also faced Wakefield in a practice game, once against has beefed up its schedule with some tough non-league opponents.

Last year Catholic Conference power St. John's Prep handed AHS two of its four regular-season defeats, and this fall the Golden Warriors must contend with defending Dual County League champion Lincoln-Sudbury twice (Oct. 22 and 29) and neighboring archrival North Andover (Oct. 10, 3 p.m.) once.

Amundsen resides in North Andover, and his hometown Scarlet Knights stunned Andover 4-1 in a non-leaguer last October.

"That's the type of competition we need to get ready for the tournament, assuming of course that we qualify," said the coach.

Alumni

Andover held an Alumni Game last Friday night under the lights at Lovely Field, and the grads prevailed in a well-played and spirited encounter.

Among the many top-notch players for Andover through the years have been Mark Reed (former Salem State College captain), Barry Tucker (UMass-Amherst), Mike Hardock, Scott Wilkins, Peter Chiklis, Todd Lockwood, brothers George, Bill and Dan Donovan, goalies Dan Kimball, Brian Sheehy and Bob Pothier, brothers Chris and Nick Bates, brothers John and Paul Heveghan, and the aforementioned foursome of Carbone, Keene, Farrell and Sapuppo.

Mike Wartman, who has helped develop much of the Golden Warriors' considerable talent through the years, returns as JV coach while Charlie Labelle will direct the freshman team.

Hockey Association To Register

The Andover Hockey Association Inc. will hold registration for the new season tonight at West Middle School from 6 to 9.

Registration is open to boys and girls from 5 to 17 years old. The programs range from instructional clinics for beginners to multi-league play for intermediate and advanced players.

Tryouts for team placement at the Mite, Squirt, Pee Wee, Bantam and Midget levels will begin Friday night and run through Monday. Schedules for each age level's tryout time and location will be available at registration and are listed in the advertisement in The TOWNSMAN. Those who cannot make this evening's registration can register at the appropriate tryout schedule for their age group.

League president Bob Smith announced several changes in the program this year, including the appointment of a director of hockey to coordinate the

programs at all stages of development, a clinic for the team coaches and the introduction of a power skating program for all players above the clinic level.

"We look forward to a large group of returning players and extend an invitation to new skaters and those who want to re-enter the program at all age levels," Smith said.

Smith added that companies or individuals wishing to sponsor a team for the 1988-'89 season are welcome to indicate their interests at this time as well.

Registration applications are available at the Andover Hockey Shop and Red Harris Sporting Goods. Individuals with questions about the registration or tryouts should contact the hockey association at P.O. Box 167, Andover.

New Volleyball Coach To Instill Enthusiasm

By Rick Harrison

If sheer enthusiasm can breed success in an athletic program, then the Andover High girls' varsity volleyball team should be on its way up with new coach George Sullivan.

Sullivan, who got the girls' basketball program back on its feet last winter, and assistant Hank Iworsley are in the process of trying to give the volleyball program a shot in the arm and a more positive identity.

"They've never really had a winner here in volleyball," said Sullivan. "Andover has been a doormat in the Merrimack Valley Conference for a long time, but we're going to change that. Our goal this first year will be to have a winning season and make it to the states."

Things have started on an upbeat note, with an excellent initial turnout of 65 candidates on the first day of practice (Aug. 29).

Earlier this week Sullivan had trimmed the squad to 34, with intentions of paring the varsity roster to 12 or 13 girls by the opening match on Wednesday, Sept. 14 at Lawrence High.

Last fall the Golden Warriors struggled through a 3-15 campaign, two of the victories against Haverhill which was a first-year team.

Twenty-three lettermen from that squad returned, although some in that group have already been cut.

"Part of the problem through the years has been a different coach almost every fall," explained Sullivan. "I hope to change that and provide some continuity to the program."

Sullivan was a member of the Andover High football coaching staff for 19 years, first as a head freshman coach and later as a varsity assistant.

"I thought about this shift for a long time before I made the commitment," said Sullivan, who wasn't officially appointed to the volleyball job until early August.

"Since then I've attended a few clinics, watched a lot of videotape and read like mad.

"Last week we spent primarily on conditioning, and this week we'll put in the offensive and defensive schemes and make the final cuts."

Sullivan did not want to get too specific about his personnel before trimming the roster, but some of the veterans who have looked good in early workouts include senior Julie Salazar, junior Grace Park, senior Cara Workman, senior Allison Wright, junior Kate Doherty.

Also mentioned as possible varsity candidates were senior Kristen Sullivan, junior Kim Daly and sophomore Nicole Thompson.

Girls Dedicated

"We have some top athletes, and a lot of these girls attended volleyball camps this summer," noted Sullivan. "They've surprised me with their work ethic. They're dedicated to the sport and they all work extremely hard at practice."

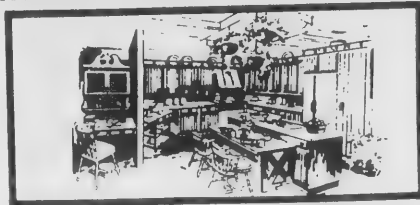
"It's been a lot of fun for me so far, and I'm really excited about the prospects. For the first time we have a few night matches at home, and hopefully we're going to scare a few teams this year."

Sullivan feels traditional powers Chelmsford, Billerica and Dracut will again be solid MVC contenders, with Lowell also in the running.

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Cross Country Teams Out To Improve Records

By Rick Harrison

Both the 1988 Andover High boys' and girls' cross country teams will be out to improve on last year's records, the Golden Warrior boys having posted a 5-5 mark and the girls a 2-7 ledger in 1987.

Veteran coach Gerry Grasso, beginning his 15th season as AHS varsity cross country skipper and his 31st year coaching overall, feels both squads have the potential to be very competitive in the Merrimack Valley Conference.

The Golden Warriors attracted 20 boys and 10 girls to the initial week of practices, but Grasso expects more candidates to sign up now that school is underway.

The boys' team should be led by returning senior Co-Capt. Nathan Sullivan and Glen Harrison, both of whom won a couple races last year.

Other returning lettermen on the boys' side are juniors John Bicknell, Mike Kelley and Scott O'Leary.

Heading the list of promising sophomore harriers is John Bishop.

The key graduate from last year's squad was Wayne Bushman, now attending the University of New Hampshire.

"We were a very young team last year, comprised mostly of juniors and sophomores, and I feel we'll be in contention this fall," said Grasso.

The coach also feels that Chelmsford and Central Catholic will be strong.

"Chelmsford has a full summer program and they go away to camp every

year," noted Grasso. "It's pretty tough to compete with that."

The Golden Warrior gals have three ace runners returning in senior Capt. Diane Hinchey, junior Michelle Toth and junior Katie Boness.

Although the girls did not lose any key performers through graduation, a couple of outstanding runners have decided to play other sports this year.

Patience



One of the 50 golfers who played in the benefit tournament for Andover Youth Hockey.

"I think we're going to come along and be a very decent team," said Grasso.

The coach believes Lowell and Chelmsford will be strong contenders for top honors in the conference this fall.

The Andover girls launch their season early, hosting non-league rival Presentation of Mary Academy in Methuen for the first time on Tuesday, Sept. 13.

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Field Hockey Team A Contender

By Rick Harrison

It's been awhile since Andover High put together a first place contender in field hockey.

The Merrimack Valley Conference has traditionally been dominated in this sport by Chelmsford, Wilmington and Tyngsboro.

Third-year coach Sandy Lunt is realistic about the Golden Warriors' chances, but at the same time she hopes her 1988 team can put some pressure on the annual tournament qualifiers.

AHS struggled last fall, finishing below the .500 mark, but this year's team has some experience with six returning starters and nine lettermen.

Key graduates were Lisa Fossella (St. Anselm College), Christine Recesso (UConn) and Amy Baun.

Heading the list of veterans are senior goalie and Co-Capt. Lee Dziadosz, and senior defender and Co-Capt. Joanne Moutzourgeorgos.

Additional letterwinners are senior forward Amy Mencis, senior back Julie Enos, senior forward Jeanine Meckel, senior midfielder Lisa Sanchez, junior midfielder Lisa Campbell, junior attack Kelly Moynihan and junior defender Andrea Napolitano.

Bolstering the Warriors this fall will be five promising sophomores and a potentially-outstanding freshman.

The sophs are midfielder Jen Blake, defender Gil Kiley and attackers Jen Colangeli, Tanya Paskowski and Jen Recesso.

Volleyball

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"Chelmsford (three-time state champ) and Billerica are always loaded, Charlie (Pelley) does a great job at Dracut, and Lowell lost seven girls but has some outstanding players returning," said Sullivan.

Scrimmage matches were held against Salem, N.H. and first-year team Alvirne High of Hudson, N.H., Sullivan hoping to use those workouts to instill some added confidence in the troops.

He also has some big plans to expose the sport by filtering volleyball down through the Middle School and elementary school levels.

"We want to start an intramural volleyball program at the Middle School," he explained. "And I'd like to get something going next summer through the DCS, as we did with girls' basketball this past year.

"For the elementary school kids a Saturday morning program would be perfect. They do it with basketball in North Andover and it works out great.

The freshman representative is Holly Clark, one of the few ninth graders to make a varsity roster under the new setup.

"Defensively we should be strong," said coach Lunt. "And the younger kids are very quick. They should definitely lend some speed to our attack.

"Last year we had a lot of difficulty putting the ball in the net, but with more quickness this season that could change."

Lunt envisions another strong and balanced Merrimack Valley Conference this year, with much of the power again concentrated in the Small School Division (Andover is Large School).

The Golden Warriors have scrimmaged North Andover and Masconomet Regional, and AHS opens its regular 18-game season next Tuesday, Sept. 13 at home against Haverhill (3:30 p.m.).

George Walsh is the JV coach.

Warriors

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Andover's Sept. 16 opener is at Chelmsford, with the home opener the following Friday evening (Sept. 23) at Lovely Field against visiting Haverhill (7 p.m.).

Road games at Billerica and Methuen follow on consecutive Saturdays, and the Warriors then return home for Friday night games against Wilmington and Lowell.

Three straight road games at Lawrence, Tewksbury and North Andover will be followed by the Turkey Day finale at home against Central.

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Down The Years

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Miss Elizabeth Gordon has returned from a stay at the Andover-Lawrence Cottage at York Beach.

The number of books issued for home use at Memorial Hall library during August was 2,349 volumes. The branch at Ballardvale circulated 523 books, a record very gratifying to the library management.

The albatross has the greatest wingspread of any bird—11 feet from tip to tip.

There are about 400 different kinds of ants in the United States alone.

The date requiring the most Roman numerals is 1888, with 13: MDCCCLXXXVIII.

P. Simeone, the fruit dealer, whose store is in the Musgrove Building, has purchased a building lot on High street from John H. Flint.

The annual reunion of the Cole family will be held next Saturday at the family homestead in Boxford. Mrs. Ralph Manning and children returned to their home on Chestnut street on Saturday after a vacation of several weeks in Nova Scotia.

Lillian Holt of Whittier street and Charlotte Holt of Chestnut street visited in Forge Village over the weekend.

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50 Years Ago — September 1938

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No action has been taken by the Board of Public Works on the re-appointment of a truck driver to succeed the late Martin McDonough. There has been a large number of applicants, but the board

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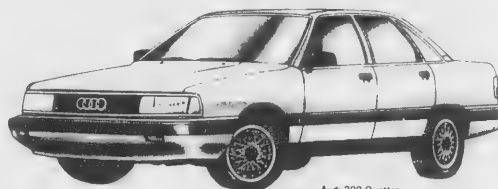
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Down The Years

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intends to go along for the present with Floyd MacDonald acting as temporary driver.

Edward Chandler Manning was appointed teacher of English in Puncard High School Tuesday evening.

Andover, with Fred Cheever's Johnson Acres development already having added money to the town treasury and with the big Shawsheen Heights development of George Cairns' promising to add another substantial sum, will soon have another new development very near the center of the town. It will involve the Foster property at the corner of Whittier and Elm streets.

The annual fall carnival will be held by St. Augustine's parish on the parochial school grounds Wednesday through Saturday evenings of next week.

Children who become six years of age between January the first and March the first may enter school this month as the result of a special ruling adopted last year by the school committee.

The school committee on Tuesday night voted to set a transportation rate of six cents per mile for supervisors and other department officials who use their private cars to go to the outlying schools.

25 Years Ago — September 1963

The Junior Football League begins its season Sept. 29 at the Playstead, and registration tests will be conducted at the field this Saturday and Sunday.

Officers of St. Augustine's School Guild will honor their new members at a tea to be held Sept. 9. at the home of the president, Mrs. Joseph A. Luceri.

This is it — the day most children won't admit they're glad to see; and the day most parents greet with open arms. For it's back to school this morning, in both public and parochial schools. An estimated 4,802 boys and girls will resume classes on a full schedule.

The 19th Annual Installation and Dinner Dance of the Andover Catholic Club will be held at the Andover Country Club Saturday, Sept. 21.

Under the chairmanship of Frederick Peterson of Phillips Academy, Andover's unique adult education program, The Andover Evening Study Program will present its 27th annual session from Oct. 7 to Nov 23 on the campus of Phillips Academy.

The Andover Teen Center — in the Grange building next to the West Parish church — will begin its third season of operation this Saturday evening. A record hop has been planned for the opening event.

The Indian Ridge Development Corp. has been refused its request for an all-alcoholic license at the country club on Lovejoy Road.

Water pipe crews were busily tearing a gaping hole in Main street Tuesday, searching for a leak in the sewer pipe.

10 Years Ago — September 1978

Polaroid corp., world leader in instant photography, has agreed, subject to certain conditions, to purchase a 40-acre site in the Andover Technical Center Industrial Park in West Andover.

Voters at the October town meeting will be asked to appropriate \$500,000 for a new computer system in town.

The abundance of contests among Democrat hopefuls and some key Republican office contests should provide sufficient interest in the state primary election on Tuesday.

Andover's town election will remain in March, at least for the time being, as will the precinct lines and polling places.

A letter to Andover's congressional delegation from the board of selectmen this week requests their attention be given to the condition of local postal service.

Shawsheen residents, plagued by dirty water conditions for over a year, will get some financial relief with a six-month abatement on their water bills.

The appointment of a community development director may come within the next two to three weeks according to Town Manager Jared S.A. Clark.

Ten local residents were drawn for jury duty assignments at Essex County Superior Court sittings by selectmen Monday night.

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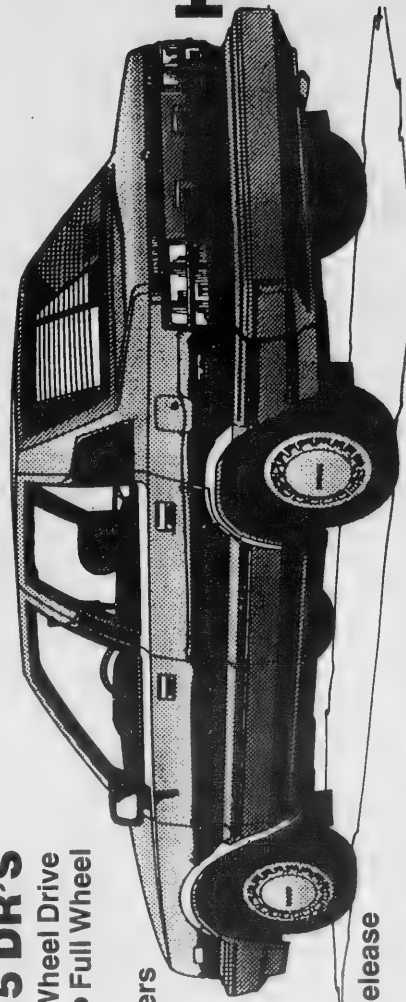
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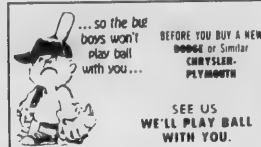
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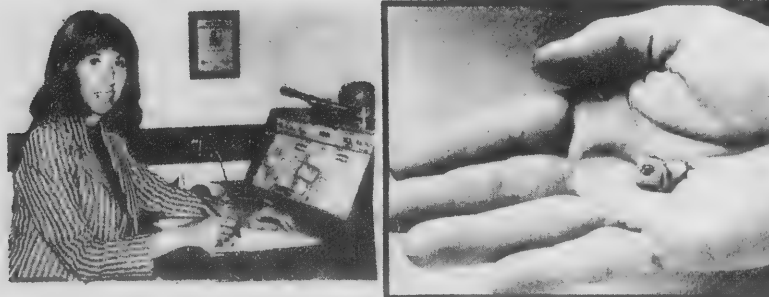
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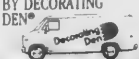
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MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Premises: 1046 Great Pond Road, North Andover, Massachusetts

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain first mortgage given by Charles K. McLaughlin and Ann M. McLaughlin to Horace H. Irvine II and Andrea P. Irvine, dated January 30, 1986, and recorded with the Essex North District Registry of Deeds as Registered Land Document No. 39358, of which mortgage the undersigned are the present holders, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 10 o'clock, A.M., on the 5th day of October A.D. 1988, at 1046 Great Pond Road, North Andover, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises referenced in said mortgage, to wit:

PARCEL I

A certain parcel of land situated in North Andover in Essex County, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, shown as Lot 9 and Lot 10 on Plan Number 16372C, drawn by William S. MacLeod, RPLS, dated December 30, 1985, filed with the Land Court on January 28, 1986, and bounded and described as follows:

NORTHWESTERLY by land now or formerly of the Brooks School measuring one thousand six hundred ninety-nine and 54/100 (1699.54) feet;

NORTHEASTERLY by Great Pond Road measuring six hundred eighty-three and 10/100 (683.10) feet;

SOUTHEASTERLY by Lot 11 on said Plan, one thousand one hundred twenty-six and 76/100 (1,126.76) feet;

SOUTHWESTERLY by Lake Cochichewick, one thousand eight and 00/100 (1,008.00) feet, more or less.

Lot 9 on said Plan contains 20.77 acres. Lot 10 on said Plan contains 43,560 square feet.

PARCEL II

A certain parcel of land situated in North Andover in Essex County, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, shown as Lot 12, Lot 13, Lot 14, Lot 15 on Plan Number 16372C, drawn by William S. MacLeod, RPLS, dated December 30, 1985, filed with the Land Court on January 28, 1986, and bounded and described as follows:

SOUTHWESTERLY by land formerly of George B. Foster and now or formerly of Frederick B. Horne, eight hundred thirty-six and 53/100 (836.53) feet;

WESTERLY by land formerly of George B. Foster and now or formerly of Frederick B. Horne, thirty and 32/100 (30.32) feet;

SOUTHWESTERLY by land formerly of George B. Foster and now or formerly of Frederick B. Horne, two hundred fifty and 44/100 (250.44) feet;

EASTERLY by land formerly of George B. Foster and now or formerly of Frederick B. Horne, ninety and 08/100 (90.08) feet;

SOUTHWESTERLY by Lake Cochichewick, one hundred eighty-one and 00/100 (181.00) feet, more or less;

NORTHWESTERLY by Lot 11 on said Plan, nine hundred thirty-two and 12/100 (937.12) feet;

EASTERLY by Great Pond Road, one thousand three hundred fifty-seven and 11/100 (1,357.11) feet.

Lot 12 on said Plan contains 4.46 acres. Lot 13 on said Plan contains 43,560 square feet. Lot 14 on said Plan contains 43,560 square feet. Lot 15 on said Plan contains 43,560 square feet.

The above-described land is subject to flowage rights as set forth in two grants, one made by John Adams, et al., to Joseph Kitteredge, et al., dated December 11, 1837, duly recorded in Book 504, Page 236, and the other made by John P. Foster, et al., to Nathaniel Stevens, et al., dated November 2, 1851, duly recorded in Book 504, Page 237, both recorded in the Essex South District Registry of Deeds.

All of said boundaries, except the water line, are located as shown on Plan Number 16372C, drawn by William S. MacLeod, RPLS, dated December 30, 1985. The above described parcels are made up of Lots 9, 10, 12-15 as shown on said Plan.

The above-described land is subject to the flow of natural water courses running through the same and shown on said plan as brooks.

For title, see Certificate of Title No. 9914 filed with the Essex North District Registry of Deeds.

Terms of sale: Said premises will be sold and conveyed subject to a municipal lien held by the City of North Andover Office of Collector of Taxes in the

total principal amount of Twenty-two Thousand Five Hundred Forty-one and 47/100 (\$22,541.47) Dollars as of October 5, 1988, and all unpaid interest, penalties, taxes, tax titles, liens and assessments, if any, which take precedence over the above-described mortgage. Fifty Thousand and 00/100 (\$50,000.00) Dollars of the purchase price must be paid in cash, certified check, bank treasurer's or cashier's check at the time and place of the sale by the purchaser, if bidding for the entire parcel or for only Lot 9. If bidding on Lots 10, 12, 13, 14, or 15, Ten Thousand and 00/100 (\$10,000.00) Dollars of the purchase price for each lot must be paid by the purchaser in cash, certified check, bank treasurer's or cashier's check at the time and place of sale. In either case, the balance of the purchase price shall be paid in cash, or by certified, bank treasurer's or cashier's check within thirty (30) days after the date of sale and shall be deposited in escrow with Patricia Randall, Esquire, Homans, Hamilton, Dahmen & Marshall, One Court Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02108, pending approval of the sale by the Essex County Superior Court. The deed shall be delivered within ten (10) days from the date of approval of the sale by the Essex County Superior Court.

Other terms to be announced at the sale.

Inquiries should be directed to John W. Merchant, JWM Properties, Inc., 18 Pelham Road, Salem, New Hampshire 03079; (603) 893-3938.

HORACE H. IRVINE II and ANDREA P. IRVINE, Present

Holders of said Mortgage, By their attorneys-in-fact,

HOMANS, HAMILTON, DAHMEN & MARSHALL By Patricia Randall

One Court Street

Boston, Massachusetts 02108

Dated: August 31, 1988

September 8, 15, 22, & 29, 1988

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
TOWN OF ANDOVER
OFFICE OF THE
COLLECTOR OF TAXES



The owners or occupants of the following described parcels of land situated in the Town of Andover in the County of Essex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the years hereinafter specified, according to the lists committed to me as Collector of Taxes for the Town of Andover by the Board of Assessors of said Andover remain unpaid, and that said parcels of land will be taken for the said Town of Andover on Friday, September 23, 1988 at 10:00 A.M. for the non-payment of said taxes and interest, if any, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

Arrowood Builders, Inc. Land in said Andover at 2 Pepperridge Circle, shown as Parcel 34 on Assessors' Map 190, being Lot 318 on a plan recorded in Ex. No. Dist. Deeds, Pl. 5908 and Lot 46 on Ld. Ct. Pl. 3335-C, sh. 2, described in Ex. No. Reg. Dist. Cert. of Title 7942, B. 53, P. 373.

1986 tax \$613.97
1987 tax \$316.47
1988 tax \$665.20

Forty Four Lowell Junction Road Realty, a/k/a 44 Lowell Junction Road Realty, Inc. Land in said Andover off Lowell Junction Road, shown as Parcel 12B on Assessors' Map 159, described in Ex. No. Dist. Deeds, B. 1416, P. 115 (pcl. 2).

1986 tax \$93.50
1986 sewer lien \$4,392.13
1986 water lien \$6,513.78
1987 tax \$96.93
1987 sewer lien \$4,195.61
1987 water lien \$6,131.19
1988 tax \$201.85

Forty Four Lowell Junction Road Realty, a/k/a 44 Lowell Junction Road Realty, Inc. Land in said Andover at 44 Lowell Junction Road, shown as Parcel 13 on Assessors' Map 159, being the land on Ld. Ct. Pl. 30560-A, described in Ex. No. Reg. Dist. Cert. of Title 8415, B. 56, P. 465.

1986 tax \$93,710.38
1987 tax \$97,150.10
1988 tax \$71,293.45

Albert C. Abrahamson and Joanne Abrahamson. Land in said Andover, with the buildings thereon, at 1 Elm Square, shown as Parcel 117-ID on Assessors' Map 38, being Unit 1-D of the Elm Square Condominium, described in Ex. No. Dist. Deeds, B. 1933, P. 22.

1987 tax \$3,568.86
1988 tax \$3,719.52

Almerado DiPetrillo and June C. DiPetrillo. Land in said Andover, with the buildings thereon, at 168 River Road, shown as Parcel 5 on Assessors' Map 166, described in Ex. No. Dist. Deeds, B. 1238, P. 99.

1987 tax \$2,319.62
1988 tax \$2,512.59

Barbara L. Field. Land in said Andover off Maplewood Road and Montclair Ave., shown as Parcel 4C on Assessors' Map 230, described in Ex. No. Dist. Deeds, B. 1452, P. 302, except part in Tewksbury.

1987 tax (bal) \$23.87
1988 tax \$22.88

Launching Road Trust of Andover, George Chongris, Trustee. Land in said Andover at 6 Black Birch Way, shown as Parcel 7 on Assessors' Map 208, being Lot A-1 on a plan recorded in Ex. No. Dist. Deeds, Pl. 9165.

1987 tax \$152.05
1988 tax (bal) \$245.22

Osgood, Inc. Land in said Andover at 10 David Drive, shown as Parcel 5K on Assessors' Map 155, being Parcel C on a plan recorded in Ex. No. Dist. Deeds, Pl. 7863 and 8776.

1987 tax \$316.46
1988 tax \$442.86

Emily C. Radina. Land in said Andover, with the buildings thereon, at 41 Hidden Road, shown as Parcel 50 on Assessors' Map 78, described in Ex. No. Dist. Deeds, B. 2017, P. 70.

1987 tax (bal) \$2,254.00
1988 tax \$3,037.80

1988 sewer lien \$222.52
1988 water lien \$321.26

John (V.) Ventre and Janice Ventre. Land in said Andover, with the buildings thereon, at 44 Farrwood Drive, shown as Parcel 38E on Assessors' Map 67, described in Ex. No. Dist. Deeds, B. 1218, P. 604 and B. 2086, P. 292.

1987 tax \$2,964.94
1987 water lien \$103.94

1988 tax \$2,842.91

MYRON H. MUISE
Collector of Taxes for
the Town of Andover

(This form approved by the Department of Revenue)
September 8, 1988

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Senior Partners services include a handyman membership program to provide affordable, quality home repair assistance, a caregiver education and support services program to offer counseling and support services to those caring for an elder parent or loved one and ElderCare to give businesses and corporations a package of caregiver benefits for their employees who are caring for elderly loved ones.

ANDOVER TOWNSMAN

Audience Penetration of Andover*

		Total Andover Adults	Townsmen
Total=100%		(BASE)	
Age			
18-34 years	100%	(7,600)	41%
35-54 years	100%	(6,200)	69
55 or more years	100%	(5,800)	52
Education			
Some high school or less	100%	(900)*	44%
Graduated high school/Some college	100%	(10,200)	57
Graduated college or more	100%	(9,200)	59
Income			
Less than \$20,000	100%	(1,300)	54%
\$20,000-\$49,999	100%	(7,400)	46
\$50,000 or more	100%	(6,000)	68
Sex			
Male	100%	(9,700)	56%
Female	100%	(11,100)	51

* As reported by "Market Opinion Research" in a survey of the Andover market area, conducted August, 1986.

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as Amended
Chapter 131,
Section 40, M.G.L.**

A public hearing under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act, M.G.L. 131, s. 40 will be held by the Andover Conservation Commission on Thursday, 15 September 1988 at 8:50 p.m. in the third floor Conference Room of the Andover Town Offices, 36 Bartlett St., Andover on the Request for Determination filed by Mary F. Nadelson for a project located at 7 Starr Ave East. This project consists of construction of an inground swimming pool. Plans for this project may be seen at the Conservation Office, 36 Bartlett St., Andover. **ROBERT A. PUSTELL** CHAIRMAN
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A public hearing under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act, M.G.L. 131, s. 40 will be held by the Andover Conservation Commission on Thursday, 15 September 1988 at 8:55 p.m. in the third floor Conference Room of the Andover Town Offices, 36 Bartlett St., Andover on the Notice of Intent filed by Hearstone Realty Trust for a project located at 63 Chandler Road. This project consists of construction of a thirty-two lot residential subdivision (Iron Gate I Subdivision). Plans for this project may be seen at the Conservation Office, 36 Bartlett St., Andover. **ROBERT A. PUSTELL** CHAIRMAN
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of construction of a thirty-two lot residential subdivision (Iron Gate II subdivision). Plans for this project may be seen at the Conservation Office, 36 Bartlett St., Andover. **ROBERT A. PUSTELL** CHAIRMAN
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A public hearing under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act, M.G.L. 131, s. 40 will be held by the Andover Conservation Commission on Thursday, 15 September 1988 at 8:25 p.m. in the third floor Conference Room of the Andover Town

Offices, 36 Bartlett St., Andover on the Amendment to Order of Conditions, File No. 90-447, filed by Andover Conservation Commission for a project located at River Road, High Park Subdivision. The purpose of this proposed Amendment is to add Additional Conditions to the Order of Conditions. Plans for this project may be seen at the Conservation Office, 36 Bartlett St., Andover. **ROBERT A. PUSTELL** CHAIRMAN
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(Seal) Case No. 128966

To James F. Taft, Joanne M. Taft, Gilda G. S. Mendonça, Donald J. Gusgou, and Gerald M. Snelson; University of Redlands; and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended: First Essex Savings Bank; claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in Andover, numbered 34 West Parish Drive, given by James F. Taft, Joanne M. Taft and Gilda G. S. Mendonça, to Plaintiff, dated January 23, 1987, recorded with Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds, Book 2416, Page 237, has filed with said court a complaint for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and possession and exercise of power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended and you object to such foreclosure you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Boston on or before the tenth day of October 1988, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness, MARILYN M. SULLIVAN, Chief Justice of said Court this twenty-third day of August 1988.

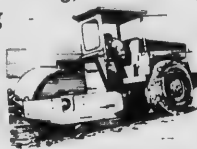
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September 8, 1988

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ANDOVER, MASS.
NOTICE OF
PUBLIC HEARING
WETLANDS
PROTECTION ACT
as Amended
Chapter 131,
Section 40, M.G.L.

A public hearing under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act, M.G.L. 131, s. 40 will be held by the Andover Conservation Commission on Thursday, 15 September 1988 at 8:45 p.m. in the third floor Conference Room of the Andover Town Offices, 36 Bartlett St., Andover on the Request for Determination filed by Norman Tibbert for a project located at Greenwood Road, opposite #143. This project consists of a twelve lot residential subdivision. Plans for this project may be seen at the Conservation Office, 36 Bartlett St., Andover.

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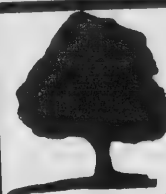
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Protection Act, M.G.L. 131,

s. 40 will be held by the Andover Conservation Commission on Thursday, 15 September 1988 at 9:15 p.m. in the third floor Conference Room of the Andover Town Offices, 36 Bartlett St., Andover on the Notice of Intent filed by Kenneth Brady for a project located at 27 Abbot Street. This project consists of placement of fill, construction of a landscape timber retaining wall, drainage

system and shrub planting. Plans for this project may be seen at the Conservation Office, 36 Bartlett St., Andover. **ROBERT A. PUSTELL**
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ANDOVER
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September 8, 1988

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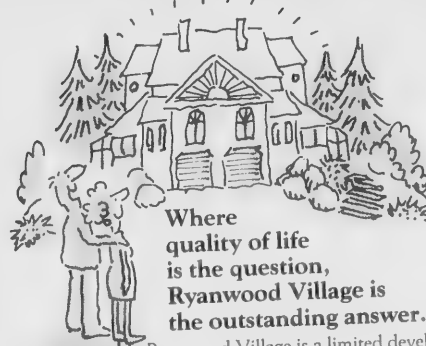
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Docket No. 87P1557-E1

To all persons interested in the estate of Edward R. Dickhaut, Senior late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented in said Court praying that James F. Bauda of Wilmington in the County of Middlesex be removed from his office as executor and that John J. Curley, III of Leominster in the County of Worcester or some other suitable person, be appointed his successor.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon of the nineteenth day of September 1988, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Thaddeus Buzko, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of August 1988.

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Register
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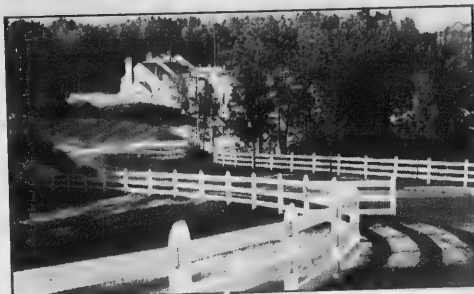
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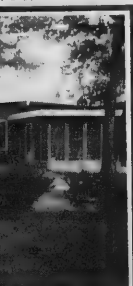
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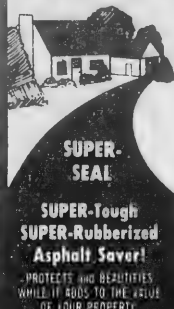
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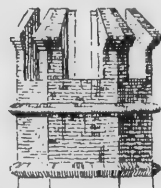
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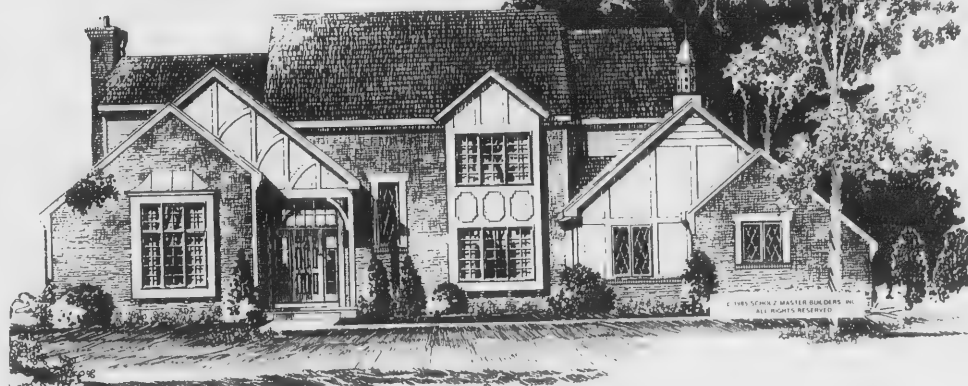
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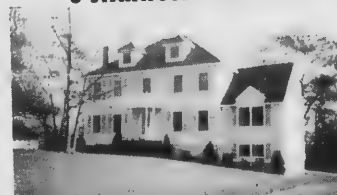


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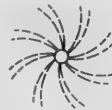
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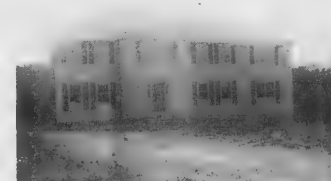
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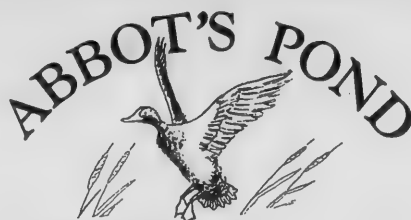
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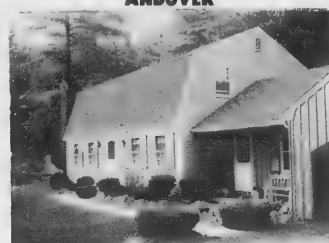
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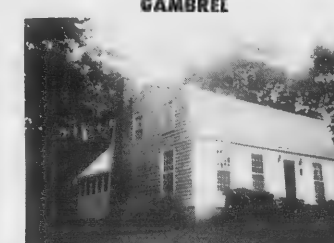
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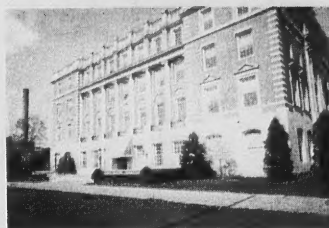
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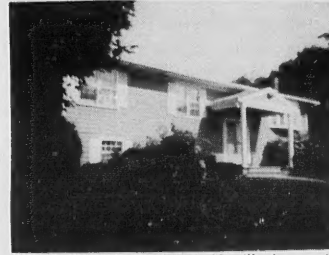
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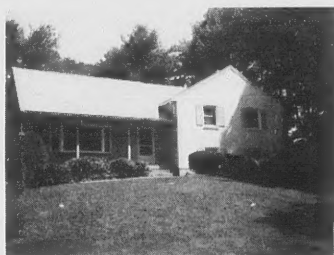
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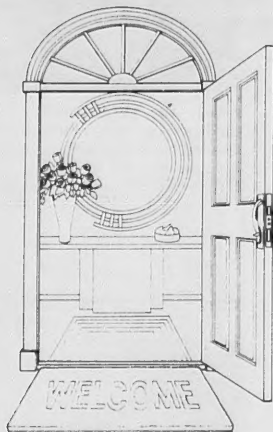
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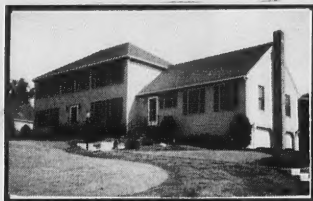
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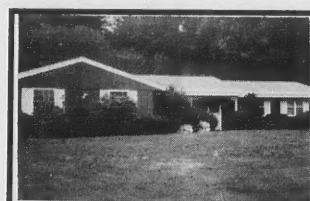
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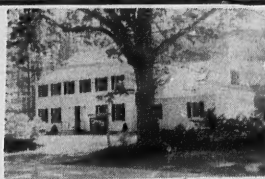
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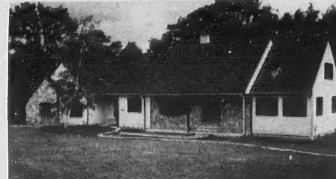
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Day Care

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While noting the demand for such a center, Hedrick, co-owner of Cuddle Care, was quick to explain the difficulties associated with opening a day care center. It took four years to finally open the doors to Cuddle Care. Finding a suitable location and abiding to regulations set by the town and state, were the biggest problems, she said. "It takes a lot of time; you have to really want it," Hedrick said.

All day care providers must meet requirements established by the Office For Children in order to become licensed by the state. Some requirements include building regulations and teacher-to-child ratios.

The teacher-to-child ratio requirements also have an impact on operating costs.

Cuddle Care serves infants to kindergarten-aged children. The price varies depending on a child's age: younger children are more expensive to care for than older ones. Much of this has to do with state requirements about available space and supervision.

Seven infants require the same amount of space as 20 kindergartners. And the infants require more supervision. Three adults must care for seven infants, whereas two adults are required to take care of 20 kindergartners, Hedrick said.

While noting the necessity of these requirements, Hedrick said she loses money on infants. For that reason many centers don't offer infant care.

In order to become licensed by the Of-

fice For Children, a day care program must fulfill its requirements.

Family day care homes, programs with up to six children that operate out of a private home, must also be licensed by Grey's office. But those requirements are not as stringent as those for day care centers, she said.

Andover has 15 licensed day care centers and 27 family day care homes.

Availability, affordability and quality are the three major issues associated with finding day care, said Elizabeth Thompson, director of Child Care Circuit, an information, training and referral service.

Thompson said day care is hard to find throughout the Merrimack Valley, and when you do, it's expensive. That's because it's labor-intensive, she said. "Nobody is making a lot of money on child care," she said.

Quality of care is another concern. A number of studies indicate that high staff training results in a better quality day care program, Thompson said. For this reason, Child Care Circuit offers training programs, such as workshops and conferences, to day care providers.

Due to the high demand for day care and the difficulty in finding a program, parents are often forced to make quick choices, Grey said. "There is a need for more day care programs," she said. "And parents should be able to choose what type of facility they desire."



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